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J. S. SINKS THREE JAPANESE SHIPS OFF TOKYO BAY

WAR IN EUROPE SWINGS HEAVILY AGAINST HITLER

Reds Use Parachute Troops In New Assault On Mozhaisk

PAIN COMPLAINS OF SHIP RABBING BY FREE FRENCH

Berlin Announces Death Of General Von Reichenau From Apoplexy

KUIBYSHEV, Jan. 17.—(P)—The Soviet army newspaper Red Star reported today that the Russians had crushed the German rearguard on the Kalinin front northeast of Moscow and had obliged the main Nazi force to accept battle on hastily-prepared positions.

The Germans tried to break away from the Russian pursuit, the paper said, and organize a retreat to a planned defense line, but the swift Russian advance overtook them.

While the Japanese held the initiative in the Pacific land fighting, the Chinese pinched on the axis front last night with at least as much pressure throughout the European fighting.

In Russia, the Red army employed the parachute-troop tactics it first perfected in a new assault on the Germans' Mozhaisk salient almost due west of Moscow; in Africa, the last and threat to the British Libyan army was wiped out with surrender of the Axis garrison at Halfaya (Hellfire) pass, and in Britain, heartened by the safe return of Prime Minister Churchill from his epochal trip to Washington, the R. A. F. struck at a new but Nazi-held territory.

Yet there were two items, chiefly of speculative interest, which came close to overshadowing the actual fighting.

The first was an incident which may remain just that—and which at

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J. S. AND BRITISH HEADS IN ACCORD

Early Says Roosevelt And Churchill Agreed On Unified Plan

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—(P)—President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill are in complete accord on a unified plan for war upon the axis, now and in the future and in all theaters of action.

This announcement came today from Stephen Early, presidential secretary, and was timed to the London announcement of the prime minister's safe arrival, by airplane, in England.

The far-reaching discussions between the military, naval and supply staffs of the two governments, resulted in "complete understanding of the joint planning for the present and for the future on military and naval operations," Early told reporters.

Developments in Washington since Mr. Churchill's arrival on December 22 indicated what some of the agreements covered.

Twenty-six nations signed an agreement for all-out effort to defeat the axis.

The United States and Great Britain set up a unified command for war in Asia.

The two leaders and their staffs started coordination of effort to supply both their own fighting forces and those of allied nations with the tools of war.

Early said that broad policies and policy clarification were discussed by the president and the prime minister in their first meetings. Then, while Mr. Churchill made a three-day trip

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JUNIOR COLLEGE Flier Is INJURED

TEXARKANA, Ark., Jan. 17.—(P)—James A. Todd, Jr., 23-year-old student pilot of Magnolia, Ark., suffered minor injuries today when his training plane wrecked in an attempted emergency landing in a field near Paup's Spur, Ark., north of here.

Todd, a student at the Monroe, La., Northeast Junior college training center, said he got off his course on a cross-country flight, a part of the regular training routine.

He was brought to a Texarkana hospital for treatment of cuts and bruises on the face and head.

F. L. Severeance, flight instructor at the school here, left Monroe soon after learning of the accident and was investigating the mishap. School officials had no details of the accident but were awaiting the return of Severeance today.

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CLERGY ALLOWED TO BUY NEW TIRES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—(P)—The office of price administration said today that tire rationing restrictions would be relaxed to permit ministers of all denominations to buy new tires and tubes.

Clergymen in many communities, particularly where the population is scattered, are compelled to depend upon their cars to reach the bedside of the sick or dying, or to conduct services that are essential to the spiritual welfare of the public," Price Administrator Leon Henderson explained.

The figures were compiled by L. S. U.'s bureau of educational research, which enjoined the finance department to furnish further expenditure of any funds in its custody.

At the same time, he ruled that the state administrative code and fiscal code were unconstitutional. Under the suspensive appeal the finance department will be permitted to operate until the supreme court passes finally on the Womack decree.

Meanwhile at Baton Rouge, the state treasury staff, after being informed of the decision, began mailing 22,000 relief checks which were held up by the district court order. These checks represented more than \$350,000 in relief money for public assistance clients of the state welfare department.

The figures were compiled by L. S. U.'s bureau of educational research, which pointed out that its estimate may be lowered somewhat by the enlistment of many students of draft age before the registration date.

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675 AT L. S. U. TO REGISTER FOR WAR

BATON ROUGE, La., Jan. 17.—(P)—Some 500 students of Louisiana State university, together with about 175 professors, instructors, administrative officers and staff members of the university, are expected to register for possible military service in the third national registration on February 16.

The figures were compiled by L. S. U.'s bureau of educational research, addressed to his family and the university president, expressed criticism for the conduct of affairs at L. S. U. and of a world at war in general.

"I would rather die now," a note addressed "to family" said, "than live in a world ruled by sin."

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NEW STAMPS TO BE SOLD HERE

Sale Of Auto Stickers Will Start At Postoffice Monday

Postmaster J. R. Wooten announced Saturday that auto stamps have arrived from Washington and will be placed on sale Monday at a special window in the postoffice here.

The stamps, which each private auto or truck will be required to carry after

February 1 will cost \$2.00 and will be good until July 1, when new stamps will be required which will cost \$5 each, the annual rate. Other stamps at varying costs will be sold for all other types of motor vehicles and for motor boats.

The treasury department at the outset is to simply ask motorists to go to their postoffices and purchase stamps on their own initiative. A record will be kept of all who make such purchases, which will be compared with auto registration lists to ascertain how many have paid and how many have failed to do so.

A large, rigid airship with a 200,000 cubic foot volume could carry a squadron of light bombing planes across an ocean at twice the speed of a surface plane carrier.

HONORED ON RETIREMENT



James Henry Lowry, above, was presented a radio by fellow employees of the Illinois Central railroad upon his retirement from active service on January 15.

DRESSES

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SILVERSTEIN'S

OLD EMPLOYEE OF RAILROAD RETIRES

After 44 years of continuous service on the Vicksburg, Shreveport and Pacific railroad, and its successor, the Illinois Central, James Henry Lowry of Monroe was retired Thursday and October 1, 1940, to car foreman in charge of mechanical facilities at Monroe. He remained in that capacity until his retirement.

Employed as a car foreman at the time of his retirement, Mr. Lowry was presented the award by J. N. Chapman, foreman, as a token of esteem and best wishes of the mechanical department employees.

Mr. Lowry is a native of Ouachita parish. He was born at Calhoun, and entered the service of the Vicksburg, Shreveport and Pacific railroad on December 16, 1898, as a carpenter at Monroe. Since that date he was pro-

moted October 24, 1911, to the position of wrecker foreman; April 15, 1919, to general car foreman, and October 1, 1940, to car foreman in charge of mechanical facilities at Monroe. He remained in that capacity until his retirement.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowry reside on DeSiard road and have two daughters, a son and two grandsons. Mr. Lowry states that he expects to raise chickens and cultivate a garden as a hobby and pastime.

He will be succeeded by J. W. Downs of Vicksburg. Mr. Downs will move to Monroe in the near future.

MONROE FIREMEN ANSWER 21 CALLS

Monroe firemen experienced one of their busiest days in more than a year yesterday when they answered 21 calls with grass fires predominating.

A defective flue was blamed for a fire at the home of A. L. Justice, five miles east of here on highway 80. The fire occurred about 8 o'clock last night and was quickly extinguished before much damage was done.

Grass fires also caused a garage at 204 Georgia street and a barn on Bon Aire drive to become ignited, but both were extinguished before much damage was done. Firemen also made a trip to 318 DeSiard street to investigate a report of a broken gas main, but reported nothing was found.

Grass fires were at 1217 South Second street, 415 Reed street, 2204 Gordon avenue, 3606 Blanks street, 4015 Surgeon drive, 210 Rochelle avenue, 218 Egan street, 2700 Pargoud street, 2501 Gordon avenue, 100 block of Egan street, 1500 Spencer street, 100 block of Smith street, 2903 South Grand street, on highway 80, Concordia and McGuire streets, 106 Smith street, 2200 Gordon avenue and 2112 Gordon avenue.

LARGEST

One of the largest and finest quartz crystals ever brought into the United States was found in Brazil. It weighed 63 pounds and sold for \$18 a pound.

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For PROMPT relief—rub on Mustero! Massage with this wonderful "COUNTER-IRRITANT" actually brings fresh warm blood to aching muscles to help break up painful local congestion. Better than a mustard plaster! Made in 3 strengths.

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FIELD'S FAMOUS

TABLE SHOE SALE

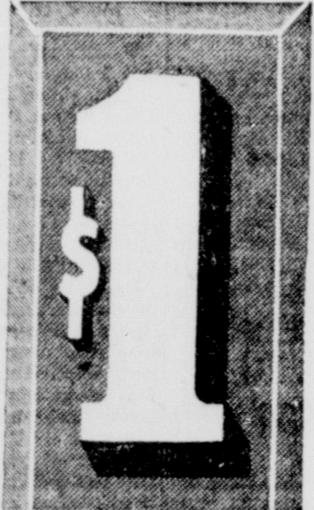
Suede and
Kid Shoes
and
Sport Oxfords

Field's policy of positively not carrying over any fall and winter shoes . . . gives you the opportunity to select any remaining pair of suede or kid shoes for the ridiculous low price of only \$1. These shoes are 1941 styles!

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ONE DAY!
MONDAY
ONLY!

No window display
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Field's
WOMEN'S SHOP

310 DeSiard St.

A
Pair

Regular

\$3.95

Values!

Doors

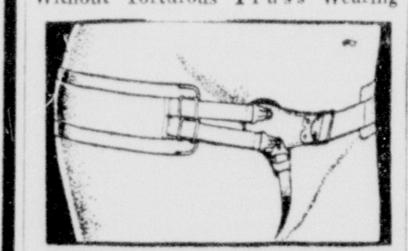
Open
at

9 A. M.

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TWO FIREMEN KILLED

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Jan. 17.—(AP)—Two firemen, one of them 50-year-old Fire Chief Varl Vanderford, were killed today when their automobile, en route to a grass fire, collided with a switch engine at a railroad crossing here. Vanderford was killed instantly.

His aide, Miles Mason, died later in hospital. The deaths were Memphis' first traffic fatalities of the year.

According to preliminary report, 3,750,000 passenger cars with a total wholesale value of \$2,610,000 were produced in the United States during 1940.

1/2 PRICE SALE
ENTIRE STOCK
SUEDE SHOES

Connies—were 5.95, now
Jocelyn—were 7.50, now
Peacocks—were 10.50, now

SHOE DEPT.

THE WOMAN'S SHOP

BUY DEFENSE BONDS

1/2 PRICE
2 Sale
DRESSES

of Our
Entire Stock
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Includes All Remaining Stock—Regardless of Price

Values 12.98 to 39.50

Never before such savings—right now when merchandise is so hard to replace—we offer our entire stock of fall and winter dresses at one-half price. Dresses for all occasions.

BELLA SCHERCK DAVIDSON

THE WOMAN'S SHOP

Are you the "GRECIAN" figure-type?

(average)

Whether you are size 12 or 20
one of FLEXEES 7 BASIC FIGURE-TYPES
will sculpture You to Fashion

Whatever your size; if you're the
proportions of the average figure-
type, your new Grecian Flexees
will sculpture you to beauty,
fashion, and youth. And, because
Flexees mold to such perfect
contours, even larger figures
seem inches slimmer!



\$5

Other Flexees \$3.50 to \$15

BELLA SCHERCK DAVIDSON

THE WOMAN'S SHOP

ALWAYS STEPS AHEAD



Dedicated to an Ideal . . .

There are those who feel that success is sometimes achieved by aggressive back-slapping practices entirely lacking in sincerity. We, at the Dixie Funeral Home, don't subscribe to this belief. Our patronage has been built upon honesty and integrity . . . dedicated to an ideal which has always placed friendship above commercialism. The fact that more and more Northeast Louisiana families are selecting our beautiful, conveniently located funeral home indicates the appreciation of the public for a service devoted and dedicated to this ideal.

The Dixie Funeral Home conducts more funerals than any other concern in the city. Monroe's leading funeral directors also give Northeast Louisiana families the advantage of large volume business . . . which means prices are lower and services that include many more details. The Dixie Funeral Home has been chosen by hundreds and preferred more than any other funeral director because they have offered the finest . . . the most completely conducted funeral services at a price that is reasonable and within the means of every family. This acceptance is your assurance of the finest.

We know beyond a doubt that the Dixie Burial Policy is one of the finest burial policies on the American market today. It is like making a will, taking care of important details in advance, securing the finest merchandise and the best service, and within the means of every person. Remember accidents, illness, and death do happen in the best of families . . . but the BEST of families are ready for them.

DIXIE FUNERAL HOME

AND
DIXIE COOPERATIVE INSURANCE CO., INC.

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AMBULANCE—FUNERAL SERVICE—BURIAL INSURANCE



MONROE'S LEADING FUNERAL HOME



AMERS ASKED TO RAISE PORK

Increased Hog Production Is
Advocated To Aid In
Present Crisis

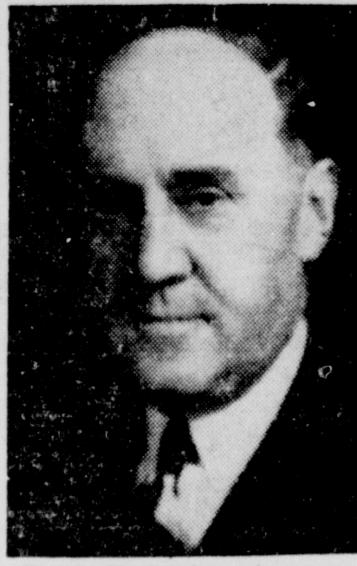
VERSITY STATION, BATON ROUGE, La., Jan. 17.—(Special)—Louisiana farmers have been asked to increase hog production as an aid in hog production for home supply and a surplus to sell is available under present conditions. In view of the present world crisis, hog production is of vital importance. In summarizing the "Food Freedom Farm Plan Sheet Signs," Louisiana farmers have indicated that they can increase swine production 32 per cent during this year according to D. L. Borman, state parish demonstration agent. The outlook for hog prices in 1942 is good, and the slight drop in prices in October, 1941, was only seasonal, he said.

Indications are that the spring and summer crops will be definitely larger in 1942," he said. "Regardless of the outlook, remember the old saying, 'pigs are pigs and they sometimes eat hogs.' Too often they do not. Pigs never become hogs."

"Hog or die" is a poor slogan used by farmers interested in increased hog production program. It requires feed to make hogs of selves. Until we change this worn expression of 'pigs are pigs' to 'hogs are hogs' we are permitting a leak to exist in the very foundation of pork production.

The farmer interested in increasing hog production should employ methods to keep production costs down and secure high quality market hogs for home meat supply and to sell for "pork." Mr. Borman believes.

SPEAKER



MRS. WILSON IS P.T.A. SPEAKER

Tells Central Grammar That
Instruction Must Start
With Young

The Central Grammar school P.T.A. met in the school auditorium, Wednesday at 3:30 p.m. with Mrs. Stella Courtney, president, presiding. The third grade students, taught by Mrs. J. Bishop Johnston and Miss Lela Germany, presented "The Star Spangled Banner" and led in pledging allegiance to the flag.

The address of the national president was read by Miss Germany. It was entitled "Architects of Destiny." Mrs. A. N. Robinson announced that the class in consumer education will meet January 22 at 3:30 p.m.

Highlight of the meeting was the address by Mrs. G. B. Wilson, state safety chairman, who pointed out that the past year has shown, like previous years, an all too great loss of life on the highways.

The hope of the future lies in the children who must be taught foundation principles of safety which they then should put into practice when they grow to adult age. It is a hard

task for parents to teach the principles of safety to the children's minds but parents are not cooperating.

She cited the case of a parent who went across the street, jaywalking, with her little Johnnie. She informed him that this was all right when she was with him but all wrong if he was alone. But the next day Johnnie tried to cross the street as his mother had done and was hit by a car. When a suit over the accident was heard in court, the judge informed the mother that she was responsible in that she had taught her son to cross the street improperly.

"Parents should cooperate with teachers. They should not only talk safety but see that they live up to this policy, remembering ever that safety is a major project in national defense," she said.

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matter to teach these principles successfully to the men and women whose life time habits are already formed. The driver today does as he pleases," she said.

She then showed how while home is supposed to be a safe place, that there were last year 300 more persons killed in the homes of the land than were killed by automobiles.

Teachers, the speaker said, are doing a wonderful work in their instilling ideas of safety into the children's minds but parents are not cooperating.

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driving licenses; 32 states conduct examinations as to the rules of the road before licenses to drive are granted; three states, of which Louisiana is one, require no driver's license.

Three things she said should be required for safety on the highways. First she suggested that the minimum age when a car can be legally driven should be placed at 16 years; that examinations and drivers tests should be required; also that there should be a unified code for the highways. With these assured, she said that safety on the highways would be furthered.

Miss Eulalia McCoy's 2-A room won in the contest for the greatest number of parents in attendance at the meeting.

GOVERNOR OF GUAM
IS QUOTED BY JAPS

TOKYO, Jan. 17.—(Official Broadcast Recorded by AP)—Domei reported today that it had interviewed Captain George J. McMillin, governor of Guam, at a prison camp on Shikoku island, and quoted him as expressing the wish that President Roosevelt be informed that Guam's defenders fought valiantly to the last.

Domei said his correspondent asked Captain McMillin whether he had any message and was told: "I want you to tell President Roosevelt we of the American forces fought

valiantly and defended our posts until the last."

Domei said the governor of Guam was asked whether he had been confident Guam could hold out against the Japanese, and replied:

"I was not. It is impossible to defend a little island like Guam with a small garrison composed of a group of marines and police against a strong attacking force."

Domei said that in answer to other questions Captain McMillin said he had not underestimated Japan's strength; that the Japanese were well prepared and equipped for their attack, and that his treatment as a prisoner at the hands of the Japanese had been satisfactory.

The Domei correspondent said Captain McMillin seemed "well and chipper" after a 2,000-mile trip to Japan aboard a warship.

The dispatch said the reporter noticed that the American used his left hand to sign his name, and when he commented upon this was told: "I kick with my left foot, too."

The settled frontier of the United States in 1830 was only halfway across the continent, at Independence, Mo.

THE PALACE

FASHION NEWS FOR SPRING

I. MILLER BEAUTIFUL SHOES

Designed to complement all your new costumes for spring. Superbly crafted from soft leathers and rich materials. Gay and refreshing as spring itself!

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FOR SPRING
you'll find it at
THE PALACE



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up

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A flattering softly draped coat to match your suit. Of wool crepes or twills . . . in fitted or loose styles. Beautifully lined with silk crepe. In navy or black.

\$18.85
up

FASHION SECOND FLOOR

THE Palace

MONROE'S QUALITY DEPARTMENT STORE

preach at the McClendon Baptist church at 11 a.m. today. This church is now without a pastor through the death the past week of Rev. J. Y. Brooks, who has served as pastor there for the past two or three years.

NEVER DUPLICATED

It is thought the secret of Stradivari's pre-eminence in violin manufacture lies in the varnish he used. Its formula never has been duplicated.

Your Federal Income Tax

WHO MUST FILE A RETURN for federal income tax purposes, bachelors, widowers, divorcees, and married persons separated by mutual agreement are classed as single persons. Use, with those who have never been wedded, whose gross income was \$1,500 or more for the taxable year is, whose gross income was as much as \$14.43 a week for the 52 weeks the year—must file an income tax return. Every married person, living with husband or wife, if no joint return is made, who has a gross income of \$1,500 or more for the taxable year is, whose aggregate gross income is as much as \$28.85 a week for year—they must file an income tax return.

Husband and wife living together at close of the taxable year may file a single joint return (even though one has no gross income) or made separate returns of the income of each. If separate returns are filed, one may not report income which belongs to the other but must report only the income which actually belongs to him. If a joint return is filed, the aggregate income disclosed is subject to both the mail tax and the surtax. The liability with respect to the tax on a joint return is joint and several. A joint return may not be made if either husband or wife is a nonresident alien. If a joint return is not made by an agent of the taxpayers, it must be made by both husband and wife and born to before a proper officer by a spouse preparing the return.

Where separate returns are filed by husband and wife on Form 1040, the joint personal exemption of \$1,500 may be taken by either or divided between them in any proportion as agreed on, but if either or both spouses take a return on Form 1040A, each spouse is treated as a single person and entitled to a personal exemption of \$750 only.

Husband and wife may elect each to file a joint return or separate returns. Where, however, joint or separate returns have been filed for a particular year, neither husband nor wife, after the due date of return, or an amended return or returns on the other basis for that year,

BINGO OF ANOTHER TYPE

CLEVELAND (AP)—"Dish night" at neighborhood movie proved quite tidy for Mrs. Rose Lade, 20. As she was returning home with the new plates she had just won, an accosted her. Mrs. Lade promptly dashed the dish on his head, and screamed. He screamed.

NEW HATS
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EVERY DAY
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THE Palace

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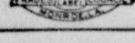
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What Is Really Essential?

The standard of living of the whole American people is going to be reduced, in the material sense, for the whole period of the war.

That is the only answer to the devotion of a bigger and bigger proportion of our material goods and facilities to war purposes. Yet we are still luckier than most of the world's peoples in this: so far as may be foreseen, we should have enough of the really essential things to avoid the kind of hardship on the material plane that kills even the spirit.

Talking the other day to a refugee from Europe, we found what several years of wandering, driven before the blast of Hitlerism from country to country, stripped of all possessions and the fruits of a lifetime of labor, has taught. "We have learned," he said, "what is really important, really essential. Enough plain food, enough comfortable clothing, a warm roof overhead. People you love about you and a chance to work with them and for them—in freedom. Those are essentials. Whatever may be had beyond this is good, but until these essentials are attacked and diminished, there is no real hardship."

American life has been the greatest gadget civilization ever contrived. We have devised more accoutrements to the mere business of living than any people ever contrived before. What is a gadget? A gadget has been defined as an ingenious mechanical device for doing efficiently something that you wouldn't have to do at all if you didn't have the gadget.

A lot of these gadgets are going to have to go. We can take it one of two ways. We can howl that it is practically a living death to have an automobile without two sets of horns, cigarettes without double cellophane wrapping, one radio in the house instead of three, lamb chops without frilled paper panties, or chocolates without individual tin-foil wrapping. Or we can ask ourselves, every time one of the gadgets goes down the drain, "was it really essential?"

We may have to learn to live more simply for a time. We may have to learn to walk instead of perpetually riding. We may have to learn to stay home and face ourselves and our friends and families instead of perpetually gadding. We may have to dress plainly instead of frenziedly following every whim of fashion. Yet from all of these "deprivations" something good is to be had if we will but take it. There are physical and spiritual benefits in re-learning to walk. There are ingenuities to be uncovered in making the old clothes do, making the plain clothes attractive. In being compelled to stay with ourselves more, we may find ourselves.

THE FREEDOM OF THE WHEEZE

One of the jokes that killed vaudeville was the one about how married men don't really live longer than single men—it just seems longer.

It wasn't a very good joke at best, and now comes the awful revelation that it wasn't even true. A large life insurance firm has just completed a study which demonstrates that married men actually DO live longer. They are also less likely to commit suicide, drink themselves to death, and get themselves killed in accidents.

The statisticians came to the conclusion that the favorable balance toward longevity came from living "a normal family life," which anybody could have told them anyway.

Little by little science is creeping up on common folk knowledge, and one of these days we'll have chapter and book for every one of those little things grandma knew so well without a statistic to guide her.

THE NEWS CARRIERS CAME THROUGH

Newspaper carriers have for many years set up an admirable record of dependability and service. In all weathers, in all conditions of disaster and disorder, they deliver the news.

It is a pleasure to read a tribute to its carrier boys by the Honolulu Star-Bulletin. Despite the confusion attendant on the sudden and unexpected attack on the islands by the Japanese, the carrier boys never missed a delivery. "All around the island," the Star-Bulletin reported directly after the raids, "the paper is being delivered to its customers daily, and in most cases on time or ahead of time." Because the Star-Bulletin is the only comprehensive and authoritative news source on the islands, these boys of every race have performed a public service, and added one more sprig to the laurels of that great American institution, the newspaper carrier boy.

LAFAYETTE RETURNS

In 1777 the Marquis de Lafayette came to America and offered his sword in the service of liberty.

In 1942 another Lafayette joins the American forces in another struggle for liberty.

Today's Lafayette is a ship, the great liner built as the Normandie, now being transformed into a naval auxiliary.

The first Lafayette was a harbinger of victory in a troubled time.

They have named the great French liner well, in the hope that she too will fight for the liberty that has been torn away from the land where she was built. May she prove, like her namesake, a harbinger of victory.

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JIMMIE FIDLER In Hollywood

HOLLYWOOD, Jan. 17.—Tom Brown, who vowed he'd never do it again, is heading for the hitching post with Mary Jane Dolan, Paramount contractee. . . . Tony Martin turned down a navy commission, preferring to work up, as did Jimmy Stewart in the army. . . . Are the Franchot Tones having words, as I hear?

June Havoc has just had a nose remake, primarily to remove a bump dating from a childhood fall. . . . The Mack (songwriter) Gordons' little love note is due in a couple of weeks.

Martha Raye won't be around for a while; she's about to start rehearsing a Broadway play. . . . MGM is signing

Barbara Bannister, New York society gal.

A big munitions millionaire is trying to ring Alice (tennis champ) Marbles' third finger. . . . Alan Gordon, press agent-escort of Linda Darnell and other screen beauties, "beat up" the gossip columnist of one of the trade papers. . . . Add war slogans (this by Milton Berle): "Buy a Bond and Beat the Bund."

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Lev Ayres is conducting classes and lecturing on chemical warfare (about which he knows plenty) with lots of film folk attending. . . . Fifi D'Orsay may do a film comeback in "Silver Queen," a "Hopalong Cassidy" western. . . . Sheila Ryan and Don Castle are building castles in the air. . . . Beverly Hills residents get ready; Charlotte Greenwood has bought a bicycle, and her pedaling should be something!

Bells and no-bells: Bells to: Bryant Washburn, who had not spoken to his son, Dwight, since the latter's marriage in December, 1937, but who has just asked forgiveness thereby making himself and his son that much happier. . . . Duke Ellington: For assuming medical care of his bass player, Johnny Blanton, who also remains on salary until he recovers from an illness that promises to be long. . . . That group of actors engaged in defense work as special policemen and air wardens, who refused to be photographed at their posts because they did not wish to make publicity of patriotism. . . . No bells to: magazine "quickie" producers who require extras to deliver ad lib dialogue, then refuse to pay "talking part" salaries on grounds that conversation "not in the script" does not count.

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OUR CHILDREN

By Angelo Patri

One of the most trying experiences a teacher can undergo is the presence of a child suffering from chorea in her class. Teaching a class of 40 children, when they are the best and healthiest of youngsters is that that drains the energy of the teacher to the utmost.

Only those who have taught such classes can have any idea of the mental and physical strain it imposes, the utter weariness it brings at the end of the day.

To get classwork done effectively the teacher must invoke a unity of mood, of spirit, a wholeness in the attitude of those 40 children. This requires great skill, great concentration and much nervous energy. If there is the slightest discord in the atmosphere the charm is broken and the teacher's work must be done over, at a loss.

Imagine then, just as the teacher had the class centered on an idea, the interruption and the distress the child afflicted with chorea inflicts on class and teacher. This child cannot concentrate, cannot sit still, cannot control his movements or his spirit.

He rises when he should sit. He wanders about the room; he takes the books, pencils and papers of the children who are trying to work; he scribbles on the board; he leaves the room. In vain the teacher tries to hold him in occupied interest. He cannot hold interest and he cannot stay still for any length of time under any circumstances.

The waste such a child causes is out of all proportion to what he can gain

from being in school. His home is relieved of his presence for five hours a day, the school is afflicted with it for that time. The teacher's time, the time of 40 children, the money cost of that time, all wasted.

In some cities and towns such a child cannot be excluded from classes for illness although he is ill because the law allows exclusion only for infectious diseases, contagious illness. And chorea is not contagious.

To mind it is infectious enough to call for exclusion because the mannerisms of children suffering from chorea to a marked degree affect the other children, certainly they affect the teacher.

There ought to be a society for the prevention of cruelty to teachers.

It is cruel to force a teacher to hold the class in control, teach the lessons and at the same time endure the presence of ailing children such as these. If teachers are to do their best work for the great group of children they may serve, the conditions should be such as to make that work possible.

Ailing children, confirmed disciplinary cases—who are always ailing children—defectives, children of marked physical disability, the crippled, the blind, the totally deaf, should not be held in classes of healthy, normal children, but cared for by specialists according to their needs.

The healthy, normal ones are going to be obliged to provide for the ailing ones in years to come so it does seem as though they ought to receive consideration in this respect. Certainly the teacher needs and should have such consideration.

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Sunday School Lesson

Sunday School Lesson For Jan. 25
Text Matthew 4:1-11

By William E. Gilroy, D. B.

(Editor of Advance)

The story of the temptation of Jesus, about which much mystery has been attached, is easy of comprehension if we approach it with sufficient directness. Remember the true humanity of Jesus and keep in mind the characteristic temptations which have assailed those who were capable of great achievement and to whom was entrusted great power.

We should never forget the divinity of Jesus was revealed in a truly human life. The writer of the Epistle to the Hebrews has stressed in many ways the fact that Jesus took on His own full humanity, and that He was "in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin."

If we do not grasp this fact of the true humanity of Jesus and that He was capable of being tempted, we are led into all manner of unreal and speculative interpretations of the story of the temptation.

We have here three temptations recorded—temptations coming at the outset of the ministry of Jesus, and at a time following a period of fasting when He was peculiarly subject to temptation. It would be a mistake to think of temptation in the life of Jesus as confined entirely to this early experience. As a matter of fact, we see the crucial temptation that came at the very end of His earthly life.

When He prayed earnestly that the cup might pass and was tempted to renounce His Mission, a temptation over which He triumphed in the prayer, "Not my will, but thine be done."

This early temptation, however, had a significance no temptation in an intervening period could have had. The decision in this hour of trial meant the complete acceptance of His mission and the vanquishing of the tempter. In almost every life there is some great temptation the overcoming of which means a signal victory and the determining of one's character and course.

The three temptations of Jesus have a symbolic aspect, and they correspond to the temptations which come to the greatest and strongest. The temptation in His hour of hunger to turn stones into bread was the temptation to use His power for material and personal ends. It is the temptation to which many great men have succumbed, and their failure to overcome the temptation has meant the giving of their lives for self and self-aggrandizement instead of for God and humanity. The second temptation to cast Himself down from the pinnacle of the temple was the temptation to allow personal vanity to supplant the consecration of His powers to high and noble ends. It is a temptation to high and noble ends. It is a temptation to which many men who were capable of greatness have succumbed. The third temptation, possibly more intense than

either of the other two, was the temptation to achieve world power and grandeur to the disregard of conscience or any higher way of life.

One may say the devil did not have the power to give to Jesus to rule over the world, but that is to miss the reality of the temptation, for this temptation comes from the consciousness of power and the significance of the temptation is in some misleading voice of assurance that one can achieve earthly mastery. Is not this exactly the temptation that destroyed Napoleon and many others, of whose ability there could be no doubt, but who sold themselves to the lust of world domination only to achieve their own destruction?

Jesus conquered these characteristic temptations. The sense of His divine mission triumphed over every earthly allurements. In the hour of His spiritual conquest, angels came and ministered unto Him. He went forth to His mission under the power of God, and it is the power of His conquest that gives men faith and strength to triumph over sin and its allurements.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT



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IN WASHINGTON

By Peter Edson
(World Washington Correspondent)

WASHINGTON—Secretary of Interior Harold L. Ickes has announced he will never again be a prophet. Whenever he has made prophecies in the past, he says, he has been jeered at, and though Washington has generally considered the tough Ickes impervious to jeering, it has finally got under his skin.

There might be a shortage of Government House rum. (Mr. Ickes supervises the territorial government of the Virgin Islands and Puerto Rico, where rum-making is a leading industry.)

OPM's new order that distilleries must concentrate on the manufacture of alcohol for explosives and other war materials may affect even the government-owned and operated distillery.

Right On Gas

There is plenty of helium. (Mr. Ickes as oil administrator oversees gas well production.)

Here Mr. Ickes chuckles. This is one of his little prediction chickens that came home to roost. It has only one tall feather and one drooping wing, but the war has vindicated the secretary's stormy insistence a couple of years back that no United States helium should go to Germany.

The rubber shortage and the auto shortages aren't department of interior babies, except indirectly, and don't forget Mr. Ickes is boss of the national park service.

As such, he has issued orders to all national park police and to all the far-flung dominions of the department of interior, including the grazing service and the bureau of reclamation and the bureau of Indian affairs and all the others, to conserve rubber. "You better keep off my roads," he warns the secretary. "And I won't fix tickets."

This is much more like the old Harold.

STAMP NEWS

By I. S. Klein



YOUR COUNTRY IS AT WAR

LOOK...

Look over the needs
of your community
carefully, size up your
own abilities, and offer
your services where you
can be of most help.

STOP...

Stop crabbing about the small
sacrifices in personal comforts
you are called upon to make in
the interest of national defense.

LISTEN ...

Listen to what is going on
around you--discourage talk
that is meant to destroy
our national unity by stir-
ring up racial, religious
and political prejudices.

**AMERICA'S ALL-OUT DEFENSE
DEPENDS UPON YOUR
COMMON SENSE**

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Unity for Victory

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS of the United States

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MOUS ACTRESS KILLED IN CRASH

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north of the Pendleton, Ore., air base. The Second air force reported the dead were:
Second Lieutenant A. J. Franciso, pilot.
Second Lieutenant R. C. Schows, copilot.
Second Lieutenant L. E. Grindle, navigator.
Staff Sergeant A. D. Spiers.
Sergeant D. Clark.
Corporal V. A. Learman.
Private G. T. Vrable.
Private L. Fagan.
Home addresses of the men were not available.

Rescue crews from the Pendleton air base were at the scene.

The announcement gave the time of the crash as 11:30 a.m. (1:30 p.m., central standard time).

LEWIS PROPOSES PEACE IN LABOR

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duct negotiations looking toward union.

Every such meeting, however, has been fruitless and no negotiations have been conducted for more than a year.

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"Both the A. F. of L. and the C. I. O. have accredited standing committees, authorized to negotiate a peace between the two organizations. I suggest a resumption of negotiations between the aforesaid committees; that such meeting should take place at the early convenience of the members of the joint committee, and that the committee should undertake again the task of finding a common ground to bring peace to the ranks of labor."

"It is idle to discuss responsibility for previous failures of such meetings. The sequence of events since the last meeting, some two and one-half years ago, have enfeebled certain obstacles and factors of control which then existed. It is my opinion that under conditions existing at present, there is justification for the belief that a further effort could achieve success. I accept full responsibility for the expression of this opinion and the request which I herein make for a resumption of conferences."

"I address this letter to each of you in my capacity as a member of the standing negotiating committee of the Congress of Industrial Organizations, acting under authority of its third constitutional convention."

"The importance of this request, and the meetings herein projected, can scarcely be overestimated. Labor's task in the effort to overcome the enemies of our nation is greater than that which befalls any other segment of our population. If labor can compose its major internal problem, then the government will be aided in the operation of its war economy and the membership of labor appreciably benefited. Every material consideration presses home the inescapable conviction, which will be shared by every thoughtful citizen, that the leaders of labor should now accept the responsibility of this task, and in all good faith devote themselves to its solution."

"May I hope that each of you, in your official capacity, will advise me of your concurrence."

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river make the Nazi hold on Novgorod insecure.

South of Lake Ilmen but north of the Valdai hills, the Russians have surged westward to invest if they have not taken Staraya Russa, where they suffered a crushing defeat last September. They are also reported swinging along the Lovat toward Kholm from east of Staraya Russa. With Kholm retaken they would be within striking distance of Velikiy Luki and Nevel.

From the Volkov front and the Staraya Russa drive, Red forces appear converging on Shmisk, junction west of Lake Ilmen, or in a position to bypass it to the south toward Pskov, 100 miles or so westward.

South of the Valdai hills the Reds

reapture of Salizarovo, just below Lake Seliger at the rise of the Volga. Presumably they are striking from both the northeast and southeast at Ostashov. Its capture would open another route to Velikiy Luki.

Whether these complex operations are a full scale offensive or designed primarily to exert added pressure on the Mozhaisk bulge is not clear. It is certain, however, that they imply an even greater threat to the western line program than do those operations farther south.

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Noe said a dock board official had been calling up people "telling 'em to kick in, but he backed up a little after he got a letter from an attorney on the dock board telling him to be careful."

Steve Alford, head of the state police, was accused by Noe of "breaking the law" in Tangipahoa parish and Noe added "they'll take care of you over there."

Alford has been indicted there under a new primary election law, accused of sending state troopers into the polls during a recent judge's election.

Noe said Governor Jones had been speaking to the women telling them of the campaign promises carried out.

Noe charged he had forced Jones to sign a pledge to put in \$3 automobile licenses, before he (Noe) would support him in the second primary two years ago.

He also said he was the first man to bring voting machines into the state when he took two to Baton Rouge several years ago in an attempt to get a voting machine law passed.

Noe asked Jones to talk to the New Orleans school teachers and tell them he hadn't given them 12-month salaries; to talk to the railroad men's wives and tell them he hadn't passed a full crew bill; to talk to the commercial fishermen's wives and tell them he hadn't taken the gasoline tax off for them. All these things, Noe charged, Jones promised to do.

"Sam, you are just trying to mislead the people," Noe declared. "You haven't got backbone enough to come out in the open and support Racivitch and the rest of the ticket."

"Come on out now, don't hide behind the ladies' skirts."

"It is because you think you are so unpopular that you won't come out to Racivitch meetings?"

Noe invited the governor to get into the campaign actively "and let's make a fight of it."

Victory for the Old Regulars was predicted by Noe as he appealed for their support and announced that he would stay here "until the last ballot is counted on January 27."

Noe said he believed his actions in getting into the city campaign were approved by the people of the city and state.

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NOE CHALLENGES GOVERNOR JONES

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to the people of Louisiana for the part I played in electing" Jones as governor and declared that by trying to elect Racivitch "Jones and four or five others in a clique are trying to create a dictatorship in the state that you can run."

Noe charged that the "deducts" were being collected "not from the little fellows over at Charity hospital but from the \$200 and \$100 boys." He said he had a document signed by one of the "Jones boys to prove it."

Reading from what he described as a confidential memorandum sent out from a levee board man under date of January 5 to people in the city and state, Noe quoted it as follows:

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"Heretofore this has not been possible. Previous conferences between representatives of both organizations failed to coalesce. Conditions are now changed. America needs unity in every phase of its national economy. Labor imperatively requires coherency, in order to give maximum assistance to the nation in its war effort to defend American liberties and American institutions."

"Both the A. F. of L. and the C. I. O. have accredited standing committees, authorized to negotiate a peace between the two organizations. I suggest a resumption of negotiations between the aforesaid committees; that such meeting should take place at the early convenience of the members of the joint committee, and that the committee should undertake again the task of finding a common ground to bring peace to the ranks of labor."

"It is idle to discuss responsibility for previous failures of such meetings. The sequence of events since the last meeting, some two and one-half years ago, have enfeebled certain obstacles and factors of control which then existed. It is my opinion that under conditions existing at present, there is justification for the belief that a further effort could achieve success. I accept full responsibility for the expression of this opinion and the request which I herein make for a resumption of conferences."

MAESTRI MAY BACK
NOE FOR GOVERNOR

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 17.—(P)—Former Governor James A. Noe may be backed by the Old Regular organization for governor two years from now if Robert S. Maestri is reelected mayor. It was intimated here last night at a political rally.

Lavinus Williams, chairman of the meeting, said:

"I want to present a strong and fearless ally who has joined with the Regular Democrats of New Orleans. I want to present an ex-governor, and who knows, maybe our future governor."

Noe told the group he would stay here until after the January 27 primary to congratulate the "winner," Mayor Maestri, and again attacked Governor Sam H. Jones.

Now accused Jones of "hiring a man to attack me" after the former governor threw his support to Maestri Thursday night. He challenged Jones to attack him in the governor's daily broadcasts he has been making to the women of New Orleans.

"I wouldn't be in New Orleans speaking in this campaign if Sam Jones had not come out in it. Sam Jones is talking to the ladies. Is he so puny and weak that he cannot talk to men?"

Now announced he would ask Jones, the man he helped to elect two years ago, a series of questions in a talk Saturday night.

His future political course, Noe declared, depended on the war. He said he had volunteered his services and would "have to wait until I come back" to decide on running for office.

Maestri is opposed in the primary by Herve Racivitch, supported by Jones leaders but not openly endorsed by Jones, and Shirley G. Wimberly.

One inquiry as to whether Americans were in Cebu, the Philippines' second city, brought a belated and cryptic reply that aroused suspicions that it might have been disclosed under duress.

One responsible official said he feared the Japanese or their agents might be in control there as well as on Luzon and the two other points where the enemy is known to have made landings in force.

A continuous radio link was established a week ago between San Francisco and Cebu, supplementing the messages exchanged daily over crowded military communication facilities between General MacArthur's headquarters and Washington.

The first Russian step in a northern offensive of still undisclosed scope was a drive down the Volkov toward Novgorod, near the north rim of Lake Ilmen. A companion drive from the Msta river, due east of Novgorod, is also indicated. The east bank of the Volkov is now reported cleared of Germans and Russian crossings of the

river make the Nazi hold on Novgorod insecure.

South of Lake Ilmen but north of the Valdai hills, the Russians have surged westward to invest if they have not taken Staraya Russa, where they suffered a crushing defeat last September. They are also reported swinging along the Lovat toward Kholm from east of Staraya Russa. With Kholm retaken they would be within striking distance of Velikiy Luki and Nevel.

From the Volkov front and the Staraya Russa drive, Red forces appear converging on Shmisk, junction west of Lake Ilmen, or in a position to bypass it to the south toward Pskov, 100 miles or so westward.

South of the Valdai hills the Reds

reapture of Salizarovo, just below Lake Seliger at the rise of the Volga. Presumably they are striking from both the northeast and southeast at Ostashov. Its capture would open another route to Velikiy Luki.

Whether these complex operations are a full scale offensive or designed primarily

'They Died With Their Boots On' Opens At Paramount



The daring deeds (and misdeeds) of General Custer is the story of "They Died With Their Boots On," starring Errol Flynn and Olivia de Havilland, and opening today on the Paramount screen.

The Indian fights in "They Died With Their Boots On," are a memorable experience; the heroic battle of the South is superbly told by the same studio which made the great "Sergeant York."



"I Wake Up Screaming" is the exciting story of three personalities in a new mystery drama appearing Wednesday and Thursday on the Paramount screen with stars Betty Grable, Victor Mature and Carole Landis in the featured roles.



Jack Oakie, Linda Darnell, George Murphy, Walter Brennan and Milton Berle are the entertainers in "Rise and Shine," smash musical paced with fast-acted comedy, and playing at the Paramount Friday and Saturday.



"Suspicion," the great psychological drama starring Cary Grant and Joan Fontaine, is the Capitol attraction Tuesday and Wednesday.



"Confirm or Deny" is the story of a correspondent who gave his blood and sweat and tears for the biggest scoop and then scrapped it for a love that was bigger. Don Ameche and Joan Bennett are the stars of this Paramount midnight show feature, Saturday night.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS
Real estate transfers recorded yesterday at the office of the clerk of court of Ouachita parish were as follows: Henry M. Melton sold to Steve L. Wyatt the south half of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 22, township 17 north, range 4 east for \$100.

Benjamin Otto Taylor sold to W. Kornman lots 10 and 11 of block of H. M. Williams' addition to West Monroe for \$2,750.

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NELSON MAINTAINS LEAD IN OAKLAND OPEN

7-STROKE ROUND
KEEPS HIM AHEAD
OF RED-HOT PACK

5 Total Is 4 Better Than
That Made By Slender
Lloyd Mangrum

OAKLAND, Calif., Jan. 17.—(P)—Licking par and the hopes of his vises for the third successive day, iron Nelson racked up a 69 and a three-round total of 205 today to cling his lead in the 72-hole \$5,000 Oakland open golf tournament.

The two time national champion—en and P. G. A.—left no doubts as who was the best golfer in a field more than 100 hot shots. He coupled sensational performances with some fer brand golf but in the end eked off the 18th fairway still holding a four-stroke advantage over his best rival.

Qualifying Nelson's one under par 69 was slender Lloyd Mangrum of Monterey Park, Calif. Mangrum's 209 is one better than that of the pre-tournament favorite, little Ben Hogan of Hershey, Pa. Hogan posted a 70 for third round and completed the 54 ties with Lawson Little, San Francisco, at 210.

For Sequoyah is 35-35-70. Nelson took it apart for the third time in a 35-34. He set the first round tie with a 67 and followed that effort with a 69.

Although he scrambled a bit during his third round big Hogan proved as well as a cat. He managed to land his side up despite a missed shot on seventh, where he took a bogey 5. The hole before he bagged a birdie after his approach shot had hit the green and the ball had bounced 18 feet away. He merely dropped the long putt.

With a 35 for the first nine, Nelson booked over a birdie 3 on the 13th and a birdie 4 on the 16th. On the 13th, he thrilled the gallery with a remarkable shot. His drive faded, the ball landing under a tree. Able to take only a half-swing, he batted the pellet to within four feet of the cup and dropped it.

On the 16th, a 474-yard uphill layout, landed in front of a lake, he hit his long shot to within six feet of the green and missed the putt for an eagle and a fraction of an inch.

The climax came on the 18th green. Nelson chipped up to within 3 feet of the cup on his 4th shot. He sighted, then missed to take a bogey 5. The pace setter had missed about his easiest putt of the round. It would give him a five stroke lead.

The best round of the day, a 67, was turned in by Larry Brazil, San Francisco, who came up with a 54-hole total of 219. E. J. Harrison, Little Rock, set par with a 68.



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Originating new method of getting accuracy, Craig Wood takes pot shots at caricatures of those hated men. It's a good shot that Wood hits straight, hooks or slices. The National Open champion is now the professional at the new Normandy Isles course at Miami Beach, Fla.

WHIRLY MAY YET SET MONEY MARK

Triple Crown Victor Is Only
88 Thousand Short Of
World Record

LEXINGTON, Ky., Jan. 17.—(P)—Despite the war, Whirlaway, Calumet farm's triple crown winner, still can break the world's record for earnings by single race horse.

Only \$88,063 shy of Seabiscuit's mark of \$437,730, Whirlaway was nosed out of a good chance to smash the record in one race in California when the \$100,000 Santa Anita handicap, richest of all of America's stakes, was cancelled because of the war.

Dan Mahany, business manager for Warren Wright's Calumet stable, said he believed that if Whirlaway stays Hale and hearty, retains his speed, doesn't run out on turns and isn't asked to pack too much weight, the son of Elenheim 2nd could break the record this year.

Mahany prepared today a table showing that there were 51 races from April through November in which Whirlaway could compete for an aggregate of \$610,000 in stakes, ranging from \$2,500 to \$50,000, with the majority around \$10,000.

Calumet doesn't plan to start the 1941 3-year-old champion and triple crown winner in more than about 15 events.

Mahany said Whirlaway's chief threat to the record appears to be in Challedon who has won approximately \$325,000.

Calumet hopes its star can run his earnings (now \$349,667) to a half-million this year, but if he doesn't there may be another year. After all, Mahany pointed out, Seabiscuit was seven before he surpassed Sun Beau's record and Whirlaway has just turned four. Challedon is five. However, Whirlaway likely will be retired after this season.

Mahany said it was possible Plain Ben Jones, Calumet's astute trainer now in California with his flock, may "warm up" Whirlaway at Hot Springs, Ark., before bringing him here to Keeneland. From here he probably will be sent to Louisville, then east, possibly back to Chicago and then east again. Florida isn't being considered, Mahany added.

Tells Need For Keeping Links Open During War

SPORTS ROUNDUP

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—(Wide World)

The president's box for baseball and night games was just what the doctor ordered for the St. Louis Browns. Two things they've been asking are more use of the floodlights and some cash money for operating expenses.

Hardly a chance now that the majors will turn down the 14 night games proposition at the February 2 meetings and the chances are the American league will find it easier to get up that \$100,000 than to take the risk that one club might fold at this critical stage.

It's good news that the National Hockey League finally is getting around to making a war contribution, but why just one all-star Red Cross game?

Seems every city in the league could stage one, just as Boston has planned to do independently next month.

Tip-off on what may happen when the major league contracts go out is Connie Mack's statement that practically all the A's pitchers want more money.

That feeling dictated our decision in cancelling our four 1942 championships. To put on a championship calls for much effort. We felt that the same amount of effort, if directed in certain other channels, would be of greater benefit to the nation.

Then, too, we felt that championships on a national scale would be hollow with so many young men in service and others likely to go and so many women doing more useful things than traveling many miles to a golf event. We felt also that championships as such would be somewhat frivolous and therefore inappropriate.

So we have done away with our championships and are trying to gear our activities into the general national effort. Details of our work remain to be worked out, but, by and large, it probably will be devoted in a large measure to fund-raising.

We already are committed to holding "Hall America's" club tournaments at courses throughout the country during the week-ends of Memorial Day, Independence Day and Labor Day. The Red Cross will benefit financially.

Until such time as we communicate with all the golf courses in the country (about 5,200) we take this means to request their managements to re-serve the dates for the three tournaments. Incidentally, on July 4, 1917 and 1918, two such events sponsored by the U. S. G. A. at only about 550 courses raised \$165,000 for the Red Cross.

We are at work on other enterprises, have been in touch with the Professional Golfers' Association regarding benefit exhibition matches, and golf hopes to put forward a general program which will be worthy of the sport.

As regards the activities of district and state associations, we feel that each must decide for itself whether to carry through its planned program. It is our hope, however, that all will try to be of the greatest possible service.

We have paved the way for one such service by altering our amateur rules to permit amateur golfers to play for United States defense savings bonds and stamps as prizes, with a limit of \$100 to the face value of any such single prize. This is to be effective only for the duration of the war.

We agree with a remark attributed to Bobby Jones that it is important to keep golf courses open. Therefore, even though the U. S. G. A.'s income will be cut drastically by the absence of championships, we are continuing our green section, if on a curtailed basis. The green section has developed much valuable information for maintaining courses and many of its recommendations are now standard green-keeping practices.

The green section already has helped the war department on turf matters at many airfields.

The U. S. G. A. will proceed to put into effect plans made some time ago to reduce membership dues for clubs operating courses of less than 18 holes and to organize a public links section of membership.

ONE MINUTE SPORTS PAGE

Michigan apparently will follow the U. S. G. A. example by calling off three of the state's major golf tournaments.

Other sections still seem undecided.

When Bebe Lee, Utah State's cage coach, was called up by the navy, Bob Burnett, another former Stanford player, took over and the team didn't even lose a day's practice.

Elizabeth Ryan, veteran tennis pro, is spending a lot of time playing against boys from the armed forces down at Miami.

The Reds' Ival Goodman, a righthander all his life, plans to try southpaw throwing this year to take the strain off his lame shoulder.

Basketball innovation tried out by Collingwood High school at Cleveland puts one of the officials on a perch 15 feet above floor level instead of having two galloping around the floor.

VERLY BUNNY, HA HA!

Ted Williams tells this one on himself so he can't blame us for repeating it.

Seems when Ted was about 13 he and a pal went rabbit hunting and managed to shoot one.

With no one home to advise him, Ted proceeded to plunge the bunny into a pot of boiling water, pick it clean like a duck and fry it, skin and all.

"I gotta admit it didn't taste very good," said Ted.

POSTMAN'S PARAGRAPH

Sebastian E. Linehan, slipping in a plug for the A. A. U., 50,000 meter walk at Cincinnati in May, points out that walking is the best exercise for the national defense fitness program and it should have a big competitive season.

Regardless of the exercise, we think the heel-and-toe boys should appear as often as possible. They provide something necessary for civilian morale—a good belly laugh.

Charlie Landolf of the New Castle (Pa.) News sends the first query about what's happened to New York game wardens.

"Here it is a week past," he complains, "and Joe Louis hasn't been arrested for killing Baer out of season."

THE MARINES HAVE ICE-LANDED

Private T. Kenneth Stockwell of Peoria, Ill., writes home that basketball uniforms of the marines in ice-land consist of heavy underwear plus regular uniforms and earmuffs and that twice the wooden floor has been blown into the ocean.

The boys fished it out, weighted it down with sandbags and keep on playing in every spare minute.

SIGNED

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 17.—(P)—Two of the Phillies star pitchers, Tommy Hughes and Johnny Podagajny, signed contracts today for the 1942 campaign.

Last year Hughes won nine and lost 14 games while Podagajny won nine and lost 12.

ONE DISSIDENT

James Monroe received all of the electoral votes except one for re-election to the presidency of the

LIGHT-HEAVY MAT CHAMP TO BATTLE BOB CORBY HERE

Curtis, New Titlist, Booked
For Tuesday At Local
Wrestling Arena

The new world's light-heavyweight

wrestling champion will be seen at the Ouachita Valley Fair grounds arena Tuesday night. He is none other than Jack Curtis, the handsome grappler from Vicksburg, Miss.

Curtis will meet Bob Corby, the Atlanta foul artist, in a non-title bout.

This will be a return match from a previous encounter in which Corby incurred the wrath of the local wrestling commissioner and therefore had his purse held up.

Promoter Gus Kallio stated last night that he was greatly displeased with the way Corby has been getting away with committing so many serious fouls and will order strict enforcement of the rules in Tuesday night's matches.

If a matman is caught gouging his opponent's eyes he will be declared loser of the fall. Three cases of hair pulling also will result in the loss of a fall.

Curtis won his championship last Monday night in Birmingham by beating Rex Mobley. For a long time

wrestling fans had been wondering just how a grappler would manage to keep Mobley out of the ring ropes long enough to get sufficient heat on him to win two falls of a match.

It was not learned here just how Curtis turned the trick but it must have been mighty good.

Jack LaRue will meet Mike Fraley in the semi-final bout of the card.

Last week LaRue was the uncomfortable possessor of several fair size boils and it was by being beaten on these sore spots that he lost to Corby in the third and deciding fall of their match.

Fraley had a rather easy time of it last week when he beat George McKinley—mostly by the use of un-sportsmanlike grappling.

McKinley showed that he was a somewhat inexperienced matman, although he would have made a good bout with a skillful grappler.

Numerous requests have been made for another match of lady wrestlers, and Promoter Kallio is trying to book such an event. If he does, he declared, it will be necessary to make a few changes in the price of admission, with the fan's paying the tax and the ring-side being separated from the bleachers. It was explained that in the past the promoter has been paying the taxes.

A boxing battle royal of five white lads is scheduled to start the program at 8:30 o'clock.

BASKETBALL SCORES

Ohio State 54; Iowa 52.

Illinois 54; Chicago 26.

Ohio U. 40; Miami 32.

Richmond 31; Washington and Lee 41.

Duke 41; Navy 31.

Vanderbilt 39; Georgia Tech 32.

South Carolina 38; North Carolina 36.

University of Mississippi 51; Louisiana State 42.

Louisiana Tech 60; Southeastern of Louisiana 40.

Minnesota 44; Michigan 32.

Kansas 51; Nebraska 32.

Butler 49; Notre Dame 43.

Rutgers 46; Lafayette 44.

College of Charleston 47; Wofford 39.

State Freshmen 43; Scoots Junior college 23.

Tennessee 46; Kentucky 40.

Presbyterian 44; Newberry 38.

Wisconsin 49; Northwestern 46.

Western Kentucky Teachers 29; Murray Teachers 27.

Washington and Jefferson 49; Carnegie Tech 20.

Syracuse 42; Temple 34.

Army 36; Columbia 23.

Dayton 46; Xavier 32.

Oklahoma 26; Kansas State 25.

Providence College 48; St. Anselms 43

FAMED ATHLETES AT NAVY STATION

Norfolk Post Athletic Teams Packed With Big-Name Sports Stars

NORFOLK, Va., Jan. 17.—(P)—In the interest of safety on the home front, athletic opponents of the Norfolk naval training station would like to see its teams labeled plainly: "Danger—High Explosives."

Big name athletes are a dime-a-dozen here these days, nearly all of them entering the service under Gene Tunney's physical fitness program. Pitcher Bob Feller of the Cleveland Indians reported here. So did boxer Fred Apostoli and footballers Don Vossberg of the New York Giants and Dan Hill, captain of Duke's 1938 Rose Bowl team.

Billy Conn, challenger for the heavyweight boxing title, probably will be sent here if and when he enlists, and Claude Corbett, tagged for shortstop duties with the Brooklyn Dodgers, is expected shortly.

The Naval Training station basketball team has lost but one game in 15

Examinations Cause Lull In Tribe Sports Program

Cage Campaign To Be Resumed Friday; 2 Coaches Take Service Posts

The Northeast Junior college of L. S. U. basketball squad, now in the midst of mid-term examinations, will not return to its cage campaign until Friday night when they invade Pineville for a battle with the Louisiana college Wildcats.

Plans are being discussed now for a possible service baseball league, which would include Camp Lee at Petersburg, Va., Fort Eustis at Williamsburg, Va., Camp Pendleton at Virginia Beach, Va., and the Naval Training station. Some think it would produce some fine baseball, arguing that many minor leaguers and at least a few major league players are stationed at the various camps.

JACK KRAMER DROPS TOP-SEEDED SABIN

Takes Semi-Final Victory In Miami Net Turney

CORAL GABLES, Fla., Jan. 17.—(P)—Jack Kramer of Oakland, Calif., stormed the net in the final two sets today to upset top-seeded Wayne Sabin of Reno, Nev., 4-6, 6-0, 3-6, 6-4, 6-2, in the semi-finals of the Miami University invitational tennis tournament for high school teams of north Louisiana.

Neither player was in his best form in the first three sets, but as the fourth opened both began playing the kind of tennis that put them in the first 10 in 1941.

The Californian will face the winner of an interrupted match between Gardner Mulloy of Miami and Francisco Segura of Ecuador in the finals tomorrow afternoon.

Mulloy led the South American, 9-7, 6-8, 6-1, 2-3, when darkness halted play.

ORLEANS PELICANS BUY DIB WILLIAMS

Infelder Is Expected To Add To Hitting Power

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 17.—(P)—The New Orleans Pelicans today announced acquisition of Dib Williams, former big league infielder, who is expected to add some hitting power to the club which was weak at the plate last season.

Williams played for the Philadelphia Athletics, starring for them at shortstop in the 1931 world series, and for the Boston Red Sox. He also has been with Little Rock and Memphis in the Southern association.

Last season he was player-manager of the Decatur club in the Three-I league, hitting .342. His home is in Greenbrier, Ark.

Perritt Is Made Bulldog Captain

RUSTON, Jan. 17.—(Special)—John Perritt of Tyler, Tex., 165-pound junior halfback, was announced as captain of the Louisiana Tech varsity football team of 1942 at a banquet sponsored by the Lions and Kiwanis clubs of Ruston in the college dining hall here Friday night.

Frank Bishop, 190-pound junior guard, of Clay, was announced as the alternate captain.

President Claybrook Cottingham commanded the Tech team of last fall, which won the Louisiana Inter-collegiate conference championship with no defeats in the state circuit.

An attendance of more than 100 supporters of the Tech team was reported.

BULLDOGS DEFEAT S'EAST QUINTET

Tech Stages Basket-Shooting To Take Conference Win By 60-40 Count

RUSTON, La., Jan. 17.—(Special)—By a score of 60-40, the Louisiana Tech varsity cagers swamped the Southeastern Louisiana quintet of Hammond at Ruston Saturday night in a game figuring in the Louisiana inter-collegiate conference standing.

Almost from the beginning of the contest, the Bulldogs sank shots with monotonous regularity, staging their best basket-shooting exhibition of the season. The Techsters missed but one free throw and the Hammond boys failed to sink eight.

Tech led at the half, 39-14.

Don Fisher, lanky Tech freshman, was high point man with 17 points made on eight field goals and one gratis toss.

Preceding the varsity game, the Tech freshman squad trounced the Ruston High school team, 34-10.

Tuesday night, the Tech Bulldogs will play Centenary in Shreveport.

SOUTHEASTERN FG FT TP PF

	FG	FT	TP	PF
Mack, F.	3	0	6	1
Falcon, F.	2	1	5	1
Franklin, C.	4	0	8	1
Manley, G.	0	2	2	1
Jones, G.	0	2	2	0
Reisz, F.	3	0	6	2
Williams, F.	1	1	3	1
Keneely, C.	0	0	0	1
Knight, G.	2	0	4	0
Waldrop, G.	2	0	4	1
Totals	17	6	40	8

I.A. TECH FG FT TP PF

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Laughlin, F.	3	1	7	3
Fisher, F.	8	1	17	1
Parker, C.	6	0	12	2
Baker, G.	4	3	11	0
Brown, G.	3	2	8	2
Cobb, G.	1	1	3	2
Clinton, G.	0	1	1	1
Zoeller, C.	0	1	1	0
Taylor, G.	0	0	0	0
Crowe, C.	0	0	0	0
Smith, F.	0	0	0	0
Totals	25	10	60	11

TOM LIEB GIVEN VERBAL CONTRACT

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paying \$175 for lodging with a notation that he had stayed at an expensive hotel and done some entertaining, but the player later told the committee he stayed only two days at a hotel and then moved in with friends at an apartment. Upon being questioned, the club said the \$73 covered both rooms and meals and that a separate item of \$21 for meals really covered only sandwiches and ice cream at the club.

PAKENHAM PURSE IS WON BY AIR MASTER

Gelding Shows A Fleet Pair Of Heels At Orleans

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 17.—(P)—John L. Sullivan's fleet gelding Air Master showed a clean pair of heels to his company in the Pakenham purse mile and sixteenth race which topped to-day's program at the Fair Grounds, watched by the largest crowd of the season.

Jockey Johnny Deering sent the son of Chance Shot into the lead from the start and he held sway throughout, beating Mrs. E. Denemark's Idle Sun by four lengths, with Chance Yen third.

Air Master came through as the favorite, paying \$6.60 for \$2 to win, but his stablemate, Transfiguration, disappointed in the Plantation purse, a six-furlong dash which was the runner-up number on the card. Transfiguration finished third as the Lexbrook stable's Potranco won the race with Sir Kid, another Lexbrook entry, second.

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IRISH DOWNED BY OKALOOSA CAGERS

Indians Hang Up Third Scalp Of Week In Defeating St. Matthew's

The Okaloosa High school Indians hung up their third scalp of the week here yesterday when they walloped the St. Matthew's Parochial school's Fighting Irish, 45 to 16, at the North-east Junior college gymnasium.

Led by their brothers' forward combination of Collidge Thomas and Har-

old Thomas, the Indians found the 7-

Charlie Miller, despite an infected knee, played best for St. Matthew's and tallied eight points as he led the Irish's scoring.

Coach Willie Ward's Indians started their week's conquests by stopping Calhoun, 21 to 20, Tuesday night. They scored a 27-to-15 victory over Chat-

ham Friday afternoon.

Way To Relieve Itchy Pimples

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SOCIETY AND THE ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN SECTION

Monroe Morning World
January 18, 1942

Mrs. Nate Mehl, today's bride, to the right, was formerly Miss Joyce Feinstein of Little Rock, Ark., formerly of Monroe. The marriage of Miss Feinstein and Mr. Mehl was a fashionable event, with a few intimate friends and relatives in attendance. Mr. and Mrs. Mehl will spend their honeymoon in Miami Beach.



Big Tasks Face Patriotic Women Desiring To Help Nation At War

Educational And Environmental Influence Surrounding Children And Youths In Homes Must Be Shaped By Mothers And Club Members

The question thousands of women are asking today is: "What can I do to help in the great national defense program?" And the answer is—there are gigantic tasks to be performed by each and every one of us. Every day there are more classes being organized, more civilian plans to aid this country.

Women must be concerned particularly about conditions surrounding children and youth, the young men in training and in areas where camps and defense industries are in operation.

They must shape the educational and environmental influence surrounding children and youth in homes, in schools and communities so that they will develop citizens equipped to deal with the problems of reconstruction which will succeed the problems of national defense.

There are world conditions to be reckoned with. Our freedom and our equality are in danger. We American women have a duty to perform, and there is no better group which can better do this than the club women.

Mrs. H. V. Collins, of this city, chairman of the fifth district international relations department of the Louisiana Federated Women's club, suggests that all women help cultivate the good will of the Americas to improve Inter-American friendship and good neighbor relations; to establish a flow of friendship which will continue between the peoples of America after peace comes and not just during duration of war.

Mrs. Collins suggests that a more general study of Spanish be encouraged and that programs on the Americas be planned by study groups and in the school. She also suggests that character dolls depicting true American life be sent to our Latin-American friends. These dolls will aid greatly in the study of American history. Members of the Louisiana Federated Women's clubs are now busily engaged in dressing dolls to depict eras in American history. They will soon be ready for shipment.

Marked attention has been called to the fact that Latin-Americans gain their most vivid impressions of us through what they see in the movies, read in the press, and observe in the behavior of tourists. Since these sources are not always truly representative it has become necessary for club women of this country to develop and promote projects which will carry to our southern neighbors more knowledge and a better understanding of the home-life and culture of the United States.

Another gesture of good will, according to Mrs. Collins, would be sub-

scriptions to the Readers' Digest in Spanish, sent to our South American friends. It has been suggested that the fifth district club members accept this as one of their main projects.

West Monroe Couple Announce New Arrival

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Hollingsworth of 302 Crosley street, West Monroe, are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a son, Bobby Glenn, at St. Francis Sanitarium January 10. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. D. Hollingsworth of West Monroe and the maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Joiner of Little Rock, Ark., formerly of this city. Mrs. Hollingsworth will be remembered as Miss Evelyn Joiner.

Mrs. William Love has been removed to her home on College avenue from St. Francis Sanitarium and will now be permitted to receive friends.

Private and Mrs. Raymond H. C. Teske, whose marriage took place last Thursday, January 15, are seen at the top of the page. The bride's attendants, Miss Marie Arnold, Miss Pansy Mallette, Miss Dolores Brown and Miss Edwin Slater, are seen in the picture to the left. The ringbearer, Tommy Leos, is seen to the right.

Women's Auxiliary Of Medical Society Meets

The Woman's auxiliary of the Ouchita Parish Medical society met Tuesday, January 13, at the Lotus club. Luncheon was served at twelve thirty o'clock. Mrs. D. T. Milam, president, conducted the business meeting.

Mrs. D. M. Moore read a report by the budget committee. The Red Cross chairman, Mrs. R. H. Frost, reported on work accomplished. Mrs. Ralph Talbot urged continued cooperation of members on Thursday afternoons from two to five o'clock to help with bandage work at the Conway hospital.

The secretary read a letter from Dr. D. T. Milam, superintendent of Conway hospital, thanking the auxiliary for decorating a Christmas tree and remembering each mother and baby in the obstetrical ward with useful gifts.

Opera Group Holds Interesting Meeting

The January meeting of the Opera club was held in the home of Mrs. V. S. Garnett with Mrs. H. K. Kent co-hostess.

Mrs. E. R. Whitaker, president, presided over the business meeting.

The club collect was read, after which the club song "Lousiana" was sung. A beautiful Christmas card sent from Santa Domingo by Mrs. W. F. Hornberger, a former member, was admired. The card was a creation of Mrs. P. L. Perot, Mrs. C. B. Flinn, Mrs. W. L. Smith, Mrs. DeWitt Milam, Mrs. A. D. Tisdale, Mrs. D. M. Moore, Mrs. Russell H. Frost.

Plans were discussed for the annual

luncheon and program for February, when new officers will be elected.

The following were named as the nomination committee: Mrs. J. Norman Coon, Mrs. B. B. Martin, Mrs. P. A. Poag.

The program centered around the beautifully romantic, but tragic story of the opera, "Madam Butterfly." The story of the opera in four acts was given in interesting manner by Mrs. J. Norman Coon. A vocal solo, "Butterfly's Entrance," (by Puccini) was beautifully rendered in Italian by Mrs. H. K. Kent. Another vocal number "One Fine Day," (by Puccini) was sung in lovely voice by Mrs. J. Norman Coon. Mrs. P. A. Poag accom-

panied both numbers. A round table discussion of the story brought the program to a close.

During the social hour, instead of serving elaborate refreshments, the hostesses served a cup of orange juice, and each contributed \$1.00 to the purchase of United States defense stamps. This plan will be carried out in the future by each hostess.

Present on this occasion were:

Mrs. John Best, Mrs. E. C. Gibson, Mrs. J. C. Kiamer, Mrs. P. A. Poag, Miss Clare Frieberg, Mrs. J. Norman Coon, Mrs. E. G. Hinkle, Mrs. B. B. Martin, Mrs. C. R. Tidwell, Mrs. V. S. Garnett, Mrs. H. K. Kent, Mrs. Paul Newman, Mrs. E. R. Whitaker.

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Miss Joyce Feinstein And Nate Mehl To Be Married At Little Rock Today

Eve Bradford's CHAT COLUMN

RONS are in the fire, events are in the wind. Never an idle moment for seriously minded women who are shouldering new responsibilities. Every available moment is devoted to defense work with knitting claiming the major portion of time. And such fascinating work it is once you have mastered the art. During the last war, sweaters, mufflers and socks were so plentiful the soldiers used them to polish their boots. Conditions are far different today—the demand is greater than the supply. With the realities of war converging on us in every direction the clicking of needles sounds like a mighty symphony. In fact, knitting needles and a ball or two of yarn are standard equipment as most women carry them wherever they go just in case a spare moment pops up.

The most unpopular woman at this time is the one who says, "I don't want to listen to serious talks. They depress me. I'd like to forget the war." The trouble with such women, according to Red Cross leaders, is that while they are forgetting the war they are also forgetting their duties toward defense work. They are forgetting the 1,001 things now to be done by women's groups.

Next to the knitters, the busiest group of women at this time are those who have joined the home nursing classes under the direction of the Red Cross executive, Frances Page. One on the most enthusiastic workers is Mrs. J. Leon Dennis who heads the neighborhood group in the Sherrisse addition. This class is confined to women in the neighborhood so that they can walk back and forth to each meeting. This of course is due to tire shortage. . . .

Only in times of great destruction, in periods of stress and strain, do women find opportunity to establish themselves as leaders. Every week brings programs which leave one impressed with the things women are studying and doing. Each week also brings its own thrill of satisfaction at the quiet, unspectacular way in which women's groups are going about doing many things of vital importance.

It was rather a brilliant idea members of Fort Miro chapter, D. A. R., entertained when they decided not to have their annual luncheon and to give instead, a patriotic silver tea at the home of Louise Kellogg February 14. Not only will the money heretofore used for the luncheon, be donated to the Red Cross, but the proceeds from the silver tea, as well as Frances Montgomery, general chairman of this patriotic affair, is most enthusiastic over the possibilities of turning over a net sum of money. She is also delighted with the social angle. She is being assisted in the plans by Martha Kilpatrick, Anna Slagle, Bernice Girault, Gladys Sperry and Virginia Guerrero. . . .

In the midst of all this activity romance seems to thrive. Each day brings more engagements and more weddings to record. Very soon now there will be a "kicking out party" in Spinster club circles. One of the loveliest members of the Spinster club will step altarward when the spring buds commence to blossom. The engagement hasn't been formally announced but the romance isn't a secret by any means.

Speaking of romances, what do you think of Virginia Mitchell's marriage yesterday to that handsome major? Due to the uncertainty of things in this changing world of ours today, the wedding was planned hurriedly. Nevertheless none of the charm of ceremony was lacking. Virginia never looked lovelier. She wore an azurine blue spring frock, just the color of her eyes, and on her shoulder she pinned a flock of orchids. She is now off with Major Poulsen on a honeymoon in Miami and Biloxi, Miss. The future for them, however, is most uncertain. Major Poulsen is awaiting orders. . . .

Women's organizations are entering upon a new year with awareness that the war will challenge their effectiveness as never before. The demands of war give new urgency to the defense program already set up by the General Federation of Women's clubs. That is why a mid-winter meeting is being held in Washington January 23. The need for more concentration of effort is felt.

Monroe will be represented at this meeting by Letta Tisdale, who is first vice-president of the Louisiana Federated Women's clubs. At the military defense program forum the women will hear talks delivered by Brigadier General Donald Connolly, Eleanor Roosevelt, General George Marshall, chief of staff of the United States army, Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox, Julia Simpson, president of the American Nurses' association, and many others equally as important.

The social side of life during the four-day visit at the nation's capitol will not be neglected by any means. That is why Letta Tisdale has gone on a shopping spree. She has already purchased a beautiful evening gown, a dinner gown and afternoon models as well as the necessary tailors. The tea at the White House with Eleanor Roosevelt, hostess, will be one of the highlights of the social activities. Major La Guardia of New York will be guest of honor at a luncheon. There will also be a state dinner party attended by such dignitaries as Nathan Strauss, administrator of the United States Housing authority, Rear Admiral Ross T. McIntire, surgeon general of the navy department; Nelson A. Rockefeller, coordinator of international affairs; Frances Perkins, secretary of labor. . . .

Highly dramatic is the story told by Mrs. Helen Feltus Tyer, wife of Major Aaron Tyer, United States army air corps, who, with her two sons, Fritz and Pete, has just returned from Pearl Harbor. Mrs. Tyer, formerly Helen Feltus of Natchez, Miss., has many friends in this city who will read with deep concern the story of her personal experiences during the day of horror when the treacherous Japanese made their attack. She was standing with her two sons, one aged four and the other just a year old, in the chimney of their residence at Shaffer quarters on Wheeler field for protection from the Japanese machine gun bullets raining down on the roof and walls of the house, as well as other buildings in the officers' quarters while her husband at his post of duty as squadron commander faced the fire of the swooping enemy planes on the nearby field. He and other members of his squadron were attempting to get planes in the air to rescue the attack.

Mrs. Tyer said: "We lived in a patio house with thick stucco walls at Shaffer quarters just off Wheeler

Neville P.-T. A. Hears Interesting Reports

The Neville P.-T. A. held its regular meeting Thursday afternoon with an excellent attendance.

Mrs. C. K. Crandall, president, called the meeting to order. The minutes of the last meeting and the treasurer's report were read and approved. Membership chairman gave a report on increase of members.

Mrs. Aylmer Montgomery, goal chairman, stated that a book shelf had been established in the library for P.-T. A. literature.

Mrs. Joe Durrett, program chairman, stated that the next meeting will be the third Thursday in February, and will be celebrated with a silver tea.

Mrs. F. C. Bennett discussed the Parent-Teacher magazine and is still urging members to subscribe. She read the president's message and also the state president's message.

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"Fortunately the walls of our house were thick and although they were scared all over, none of the bullets penetrated. The roof was almost torn to pieces. I do not know just how long I remained in the chimney, but it was through the two attacks made by the Japanese on Wheeler field.

"I did not look out during the attacks, although I could hear empty shells from the machine guns of the Japanese planes swooping down firing at Major Tyer and others who were dodging from house to house as they hastened to the field to fight back. I found that the bed was too low and with the children took refuge in the chimney.

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Miss Annie Marjorie Pohl Weds Private Raymond H. C. Teske Here Thursday

Friends, Relatives Fill Little Chapel

bride Wears White Duchess Satin Wedding Gown Fashioned With Tight-Fitting Basque

A wedding characterized by simplicity and impressiveness in ceremony took place at the Trinity Lutheran Chapel when Miss Annie Marjorie Pohl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pohl, became the bride of Private Raymond H. C. Teske, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman C. Teske, of Chicago, Ill., January 15 at 6:30 o'clock in the evening. Rev. Vernon Grosse officiated.

The little chapel, dimly lighted, was filled to overflowing with friends and relatives. Southern smilax and Shasta lilies banked the altar and in the background tall cathedral tapers lit the room.

The organist, Mrs. Charles Riddick, played a medley of nuptial airs and accompanied the soloist, Miss Georgiaelle Goza, who sang "Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms."

The bride's attendants were Miss Irwin Slater, Miss Pansy Mallette and Miss Dolores Brown. They wore blue moire taffeta gowns very full as to skirt and with tight-fitting basques with sweetheart neckline. They wore chaplets of flowers in their hair attached to shoulder-length veils of blue tulle and carried old-fashioned bouquets of pink carnations. The maid of honor, Miss Marie Arnold, wore a gown of camellia pink taffeta fashioned similar to those worn by the

bridesmaids. She carried a colonial bouquet of blue carnations.

The ringbearer, Tommy Leos, wearing a soldier's uniform, carried the rings on a white satin cushion.

The bridegroom was attended by Private Carl Schuett. The groomsmen were Sergeant B. Catchum, Eddie B. Pohl, Albert Pfeiffer, Jr., Lieutenant E. Cavanaugh and Private Gordon Bryson.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore the traditional white Duchess satin wedding gown. It was fashioned with rather tight-fitting basque with sweetheart neckline and full, puffed sleeves. The skirt was full and fell in a long court train. A coronet of white tulle and satin was worn attached to a finger-tip veil. She carried a round bouquet of miniature calla lilies and lilies of the valley. For something old she wore an antique necklace belonging to Mrs. Travis Marx and carried an heirloom handkerchief.

Following the ceremony an informal reception was held at the Pohl home. The bride and bridegroom cut the wedding cake and then departed on their honeymoon. The bride changed her wedding gown for a lovely soldier blue model with plaid top coat and brown accessories.

The guests were privileged to inspect the beautiful wedding gifts, among them being a set of silver in the Chantilly pattern.

The bride's mother, wearing a black crepe model, sequin trimming, and the bridegroom's mother, wearing a black and dusty rose model, assisted in receiving.

Following a honeymoon in Dallas, Private Teske will return to Camp Livingston, Alexandria, and Mrs. Teske will be at home with her parents.

Mrs. Teske is a graduate of the Ouachita Parish High School and is a member of Alpha Delta Kappa sorority. She is also a member of the Young Business Girl's Club. For the past year she has been associated with the Monroe News Agency.

Private Teske is a graduate of the Sullivan High School and Wright College, Chicago, Ill. He is a member of Mu Omega Beta fraternity.

Out-of-town guests attending the wedding were: Mrs. Herman Teske and Mrs. Carl Schuett of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Book, Jr., Miss Dorothy Book of El Dorado; Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Don Book and son, Mr. and Mrs. George Book of Texarkana, Ark.; Mrs. Mike Hornung of New Orleans.

Rev. Ernest Holloway Talks To Girls' Club

The first meeting of the Business and Professional Girls' club of the Y. W. C. A. for 1942 was held at the "Y" with Mary Mulhern, president presiding.

The club was privileged to have Reverend Ernest Holloway, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, as their guest speaker. Reverend Holloway used as the theme for his talk: "Effective Living" and said in part: "Effective living requires the use of all means at our disposal and is an objective of life. We must face the future and cultivate the mental attitude to that which is wholesome. No matter what the problem no matter what the day may reveal, no matter how great the task, we can carry on for the Lord of life is not going to allow us to be tested or tried above our ability. Live well, live nobly, live spiritually and the record will be an inspiration to the generations yet unborn."

Miss Edith Farmer, public affairs chairman, presented Mrs. Alice Terry, who read a most interesting sketch of the life and activities of General Douglas MacArthur.

The group enjoyed singing a number of club songs before adjourning.

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Defense Head Speaks Before Literary Club

Mrs. Massey Talks On Current Issue Of Clubwoman Magazine Urging Cooperation With Nation

The Monroe Literary club met Wednesday in the home of Mrs. R. O. Ware with the president, Mrs. D. N. Barron, presiding. Reports of officers were given at this time. Mrs. P. E. Massey, national defense chairman, gave excerpts from the current issue of the Clubwoman magazine urging cooperation with all phases of the national defense program.

Mrs. Floyd Matthews reviewed an article, "The Place of Religion in Our Modern Life," also taken from the Clubwoman. The club voted to pursue a course in first-aid and will meet next Monday to organize a class. It was decided to meet the fourth Wednesday in every month to do Red Cross work at the American Legion hall. Mrs. A. B. Colmer, program chairman, introduced Mrs. H. V. Collins as guest speaker. Mrs. Collins is Fifth District chairman of International Relations and spoke briefly on that subject. She stated that it has become increasingly important that we cultivate the good will of the Americas to improve inter-American friendship and good neighborly relations to establish a flow of friendship that will continue between the peoples of America after peace comes and not just during the war period. We should encourage the more general study of Spanish in schools and urge students to favor this language. Also plan programs on the Americas, send dolls to be used in schools, libraries, lectures, because motion pictures have given the wrong impression of our way of life by displaying gangster activity. Mrs. Collins is asking each club to donate a subscription to Reader's Digest in Spanish to someone in the Latin Americas, also to dress character dolls to send there.

Mrs. Collins then gave an interesting paper on "Helen Siebold Walter, creator of historic costume dolls." She said in part: "Let me go where ever I will, I hear a sky-born music still; it is not only in the rose, it is not only in the bird; But in the darkest, meanest things, There always, always something sings." Director Smith announces that Miss Miller will be surrounded by a stellar cast in this third show of the current Little Theater season. All members of the cast are seasoned actors on our stage and will be remembered for outstanding roles in the past seasons. One of our favorite comedians is turning his attention to more serious parts in the production of "Silver Cord." Clifton Furlow, who had them rolling in the aisles in "Ghost Train" last season, will once again tread the boards and delight Little Theater audiences with his clever characterization of difficult roles. Mr. Furlow, with Monroe Furniture Company, is a popular member of the Y's Men's club and has appeared in "Ghost Train," "Kool Nights," "Suppressed Desires," and many other local shows and minstrels.

It is often true that those who hear nothing feel a melody in the mingled cries of dirty children playing in the alley, while others hear only discordant noises on the street. For them, "in the darkest, meanest things there always, always something sings." But this is possible only when one has music in his soul. We know that there is something singing within them much greater than the quality they lack. Not all professional people continue in their first-chosen work when one of the senses behaves like a dead battery. There are those who try new trails and find exciting adventures in the turn of the road. Such a one is Helen Siebold Walter. In 1939 she discovered that all melody sounded like "this world turned upside down" and thinking that rest would improve her hearing, she asked for a leave of absence from her teaching profession. However, the defect proved not to be of a temporary nature. Miss Walter decided to take up the study of lip-reading with the New England School of Speech-Reading. While there she had time to choose a new and interesting profession; she turned gaily back to an old love of her childhood-dolls! The love of dolls calls it collecting.

The older people haunt the shops on pretense of buying for Johnny or Susie, but in reality they are searching for something new in the line of their hobby. Miss Walter recognized this growing desire on the part of collectors. Being a native of Virginia, that old Southern state "first in the heart of the nation" and rich in history, she naturally found an answer in historic costume dolls. She said, "It be-hooves me to dig. I studied dolls and period costuming from every angle possible: antique dolls, modern dolls, doing research work in museums, art galleries, libraries and doll factories.

Finally I originated the "Just Folks" Doll House, which should specialize in authentic historical-costume dolls with emphasis on the American periods but which should also feature imported and domestic dolls of every description for the general public. When the Mayflower hotel in Washington celebrated its tenth anniversary Miss Walter created a special group of Pilgrim dolls for the occasion and these became the official Mayflower Dolls and are the only one featured there now. To Miss Walter it was great fun to plan for certain groups to represent definite periods. She saw lovely visions of the fine old southern gentlemen of mint-julep fame and beautiful colonial dolls.

So she dressed dolls in Colonial and Cavalier costumes made of satin and velvet. George Washington donned black velvet with a white wig curled in style and wore a wig bag to keep the powder from falling on his shoulders. There were also the old slave darkies, Aunt Peachy and Uncle Hannibal, who were named for real slaves. She made pickaninnies to go with that group and even the kinks were wrapped with cord just as negro mammas did it in the days of long ago. The dolls received so much attention that Miss Walter took them to conventions and meetings. Educators discovered that they tell a better story than any lecture. They have become a growing factor in the world of teaching and are used in libraries, classrooms and teacher's meetings. Some of them find permanent homes in such settings as Mt. Vernon, Williamsburg, Plymouth, the Greenbrier hotel at White Sulphur Springs, the Cavalier hotel at Virginia Beach and the Mayflower in Washington. Nor is the modern note missing for Snow White, the Seven Dwarfs, Shirley Temple, Charlie McCarthy, the Quinns, are all there. But whether in her home, moving about in the midst of rosewood and mahogany that reflects the culture and charm of the Old South or wearing a colonial costume at a doll display for a club or convention and explaining the history of her creation, Miss Walter is an interesting part of the picture.

The hostess served a delicious salad plate to the following visitors and guests: Mrs. Collins, Mrs. S. W. Raby, Mrs. John R. Sheffy, Mrs. Barron, Mrs. Massey, Mrs. Matthews, Mrs. Colmer, Mrs. H. A. Scott, Mrs. R. E. Wilson, Mrs. J. R. Roark, Mrs. M. L. Padgett, Mrs. S. E. Morris, Mrs. W. L. Moore, Mrs. M. W. Montgomery, Mrs. W. M. Mitchell, Mrs. P. H. Butler, Mrs. Carey Holmes.

Miss Kathleen Miller Will Have Star Role

Three years ago when the Little Theater presented "The Distaff Side" and "Night Must Fall" and again last year when "No Time For Comedy" was presented, Miss Kathleen Miller endeared herself to the hearts of Little Theater audiences. When Lorenzo Smith, director of the Little Theater, announced that Miss Miller would star in the current show, "Silver Cord," every one was thrilled to know they would again be privileged to witness her remarkable performance. Miss Miller, speech instructor at Ouachita Parish High school, received her speech degree from L. S. U. and made herself a favorite in the University theater plays. For the past three summer Miss Miller has appeared in professional stock companies both in the northwest and south. Last summer at Biloxi, Miss, she not only starred in many of the season's shows but held a responsible position on the business staff. Monroe is indeed fortunate to have such a talented and experienced dramatist in their midst.

Director Smith announces that Miss Miller will be surrounded by a stellar cast in this third show of the current Little Theater season. All members of the cast are seasoned actors on our stage and will be remembered for outstanding roles in the past seasons.

One of our favorite comedians is turning his attention to more serious parts in the production of "Silver Cord." Clifton Furlow, who had them rolling in the aisles in "Ghost Train" last season, will once again tread the boards and delight Little Theater audiences with his clever characterization of difficult roles. Mr. Furlow, with Monroe Furniture Company, is a popular member of the Y's Men's club and has appeared in "Ghost Train," "Kool Nights," "Suppressed Desires," and many other local shows and minstrels.

Miss Charlene Lane, who has not appeared in Little Theater shows for the past two years, has cast in a role difficult enough to try the most experienced actresses. Director Smith was pleased to find both an accomplished actress to play the difficult part and to find a part so well suited to Miss Lane's abilities. Miss Lane, with Southern Carbon company, has appeared in several Little Theater plays including "The Late Christopher Bean" and "Nothing But The Truth."

Mr. Tom Serwich will play opposite Miss Lane. Mr. Serwich, manager and owner of Serwich Neon Sign company, was introduced to the Little Theater audiences in the first show of the season, "Ladies of the Jury." As the defending lawyer, he proved his ability as an actor with the Monroe Little Theater but he has been an invaluable aide in all important work backstage this season.

Miss Louise Gail McDonald says she has played the role of a maid so long she feels out of place on the stage in anything but a uniform. However as Mrs. Dace in "Ladies of the Jury" she certainly proved that she was capable of doing more important work. As the result of her excellent characterization in that show Mr. Smith has cast her in the best Little Theater role she has had in this most difficult show of the season.

One bit part remains to be cast and the production staff has not yet been chosen for "Silver Cord." Due to the excellent cast Mr. Smith feels that although rehearsals have just gotten under way "Silver Cord" will be ready for production the first week in February.

RETIRER AT LAST

CHARLESTON, W. Va.—(P)—By agreement of all parties, a suit involving the estates of William G. W. Jaeger of McDowell county and Anna Jaeger Myers of York county, Pa., has been dismissed in district federal court. The suit itself didn't merit headlines. Its age does. It was filed in 1903.



MRS. GLEN BRANTLEY...

Mrs. Brantley, bride of recent date, was formerly Miss Polly Roan, daughter of Mrs. J. P. Roan and the late Mr. Roan of Farmerville.



BRIDE OF RECENT DATE...

Mrs. Paul Houston Johnson, formerly Miss Gerry Harlan Crosby.

REV. HEARNE HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

The 74th birthday of Rev. E. O. Hearne, of Chatham, was celebrated recently at the home of his daughter, Mrs. E. C. Gaskins, in West Monroe. Friends and relatives were present in a large number as Rev. Hearne has a wide circle of friends throughout the Louisiana.

The dining room was loaded with a large bistro.

The bride wore a beautiful ashes of roses model of sheer wool with black accessories and a corsage of orchids.

For something old she wore her mother's gold cross and a gold watch worn by the bridegroom's mother on her wedding day.

The bride's attendant, Mrs. James E. Hayward of this city, wore a lovely Bahama blue model with black accessories and a corsage of pink carnations.

Those attending were: Rev. E. O. Hearne and Mrs. C. E. Hearne, and Eva Hearne, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hearne, Mrs. W. M. Hearne, Lavert, Sylvie Faye and Lawrence Hearne, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Myers, and Dilton Ray Myers, Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Gaskins, and Lottie Mae, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Kennedy and Clotile, Jewel and Edna Jean, O. R. Hearne, of Chatham, Miss Beryl Hearne, Jonesboro, and Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Hearne, Yvonne Hearne, Mrs. Claude Crawford, Mrs. Fred Williams, Fred James Williams, Mrs. G. P. Avant, Sarah Frances Avant, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Gaskins and Mary Graves Aswell.

The bridegroom was attended by his brother, Mr. J. Howard Johnson of Walnut Ridge, Ark.

Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Johnson left for an automobile trip through the southern states. Mrs. Johnson traveled in a smartly tailored spring suit with small black straw hat and veil. They will make their home at 1508 Riverside drive, this city.

The bride is a graduate of the Ouachita Parish High school and the Monroe Commercial school. She is associated with the department of public welfare.

Mr. Johnson attended the Arkansas State college and the University of Arkansas where he obtained his B. S. E. degree. He is a member of Kappa Sigma fraternity. He is a representative of the Belknap Hardware company of Louisville, Ky.

Out-of-town guests attending the wedding were: Mrs. W. C. Crosby, Miss Jeanie Crosby of West Monroe; Mr. and Mrs. James Hayward, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stevens of Monroe; Mrs. J. L. Bodie of Ruston; Miss Mary Houston of Little Rock; Dr. and Mrs. O. H. Johnson and Mr. Ernest Johnson of Jonesboro, Ark.; Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Johnson, Walnut Ridge, Ark.

Scoutmasters of the Ouachita Valley council of Boy Scouts of America will hold their annual appreciation dinner and council meeting here tomorrow at Hotel Virginia. The council meeting will begin at 3:30 p.m., and the dinner will begin at 6:30 p.m.

Principal speaker at the dinner will be Thomas M. Callahan, manager and editor of the Lafayette Daily Advertiser and past district governor of Rotary International. Judge W. M. Harper, member of the council's executive board, arranged the program which will be presided over by A. B. Clarkson, council president.

Scout Executive Olan H. Black announced a report on all scouting activity during the past year and the formulation of a "Victory" program for this year would take place at the afternoon session. Council officers for 1942 will be elected at the council meeting.

The dinner will be dedicated to scoutmasters throughout the Ouachita Valley council and is annually the biggest gathering of scout officials in this section.

DREW CLUB HOLDS REGULAR MEETING

The Drew home demonstration club held its regular meeting January 15 in the home of Mrs. F. Ingram with 15 members attending. Mrs. Ingram gave a report on the recent council meeting.

Mrs. Jewel McQuiller, parish home demonstration agent, discussed the outlook for 1942 and told of careful planning that will be required.

With hard work, the members of the Drew club propose to reach the goals set for the ensuing year.

Mrs. Morris will entertain the members at the next meeting.

RIVER STAGES

Present 24-Hour Stations Stage Change

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St. Louis 2.8 0.2 Rise

Memphis 3.5 1.8 Fall

Helena 8.7 1.3 Fall

Arkansas City 10.6 0.9 Fall

Vicksburg 8.2 1.0 Fall

Natchez 15.5 1.2 Fall

Baton Rouge 13.1 0.7 Fall

ATCHAFALAYA—

Meville 17.2 0.7 Fall

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Pittsburgh 17.5 0.1 Fall

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TENNESSEE—

Chattanooga 7.9 0.0

CUMBERLAND—

Nashville 9.7 0.1 Fall

ARKANSAS—

Little Rock 5.2 0.0

RED—

Shreveport 10.2 0.2 Fall

Alexandria 11.4 0.5 Fall

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Total Saturday 12,832 3,079 3,262,822

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LEGAL NOTICES

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING
It is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the A. E. Frost & Lula Brooks Funeral Home Company will be held in the Virginia Hotel in the City of Monroe, Louisiana, on Thursday, January 22, 1942, at 10 o'clock a.m.
E. A. FROST, President
F. T. WHITED, JR., Secretary.

NOTICE
It is hereby given that the regular meeting of the stockholders of the Central Savings Bank & Trust Company will be held on Tuesday, January 27, 1942, at the office of the bank, for the purpose of electing a new board of directors for the ensuing year, and such other business as may be proper.
SAM SMITH, Cashier.

Monroe, La.,
Jan. 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21,
22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 1942.

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NOTES OF THANKS
I wish to express sincere thanks to relatives, friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our beloved mother, Valley J. Fisher. (Signed) Mr. and Mrs. A. Kinkaid and daughter, Mrs. Dallas Vales and children, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Vales and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Williams, Mr. George Wales.

CARD OF THANKS
I wish this means to thank our many friends and neighbors for the courteous and kind words of sympathy and floral offerings. The memory of our loved one, Jacob Young Brooks, becomes dear for the magnificently expressed words of condolence. Rev. Dr. M. L. Brooks, Rev. Dr. Monroe. We are especially grateful to the doctors and nurses who attended him in his last illness and the Dixie Funeral Home for their dignified and skillful services. (Signed) Mrs. MARY L. BROOKS, JOSEPH DANIEL BROOKS, C. E. BROOKS, J. Y. BROOKS, ALLEN COOKS, W. J. BROOKS, C. P. BROOKS, MRS. SIDNEY MORRISON, MRS. CARPENTER, MRS. DOUGLASS COOKS, MRS. LULA BROOKS.

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to extend our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to many friends for their acts of kindness, messages of sympathy and the beautiful floral offerings received at the death of our loved one, Jack Sherman O'Neal.

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I wish to thank Rev. Ernest Duncan Holloway and Rev. T. E. Davis for their consoling words and the Dixie Funeral Home for their many courtesies.

MRS. BENNIE BRADBERRY, MRS. LOIS ALDRIDGE, MISS MYRTLE O'NEAL, MRS. JESSIE S. O'NEAL, MRS. MARY E. O'NEAL, MRS. MARY L. BILLIARD, W. F. O'NEAL.

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to use this medium to express our thanks to many friends that have been rendered during these past trying days. The passing of our darling son, David P. Bolton Jr., was made more bearable by these many courtesies.

MR. AND MRS. DAVID P. BOLTON,
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I want to take this method of expressing our thanks to our friends for their kind and expressions of sympathy shown us at the sudden death of our loved one, Frank D. Hicks. We are especially grateful to Dr. A. M. Freeman for his consoling words and the Dixie Funeral Home for their devoted services.

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time a year of active service has been
completed. They are now stationed at
San Diego, Calif., and all is well with
them, the letter recites. A list of the
local boys is given.List Of Local Boys Given;
Write Home That All
Is Going WellThe commanding officer is Major
C. P. Gray, Jr., of the medical corps.
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Robert Leon Caraway, D. C.; first
lieutenants, Wood H. Scott, M. C.,
and George E. Mott, D. C.First sergeant, Anthony P. Marsala;
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Albert W. Petty, Wiley E. Jones,
Joseph A. Gimler, John M. Head, Cotton
Maginai, Francis J. Hayes, and
James E. Petty.Privates are as follows: Billy W.
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in the Rice Hotel there, C. Alston
Prophit, district manager, announced
Saturday.The delegation will include J. Shelby
Cage, district chief clerk; F. B. Chase,
Jr., district superintendent; John G.
Hopping, district salesman, and W. W.
Ross, district engineer, said Mr.
Prophit. The conference is scheduled
for Monday and Tuesday."The purpose of the meeting," Mr.
Prophit said, "is to discuss, as early
in the year as possible, our company's
responsibilities in helping to win the
war.""We recognize that our first duty
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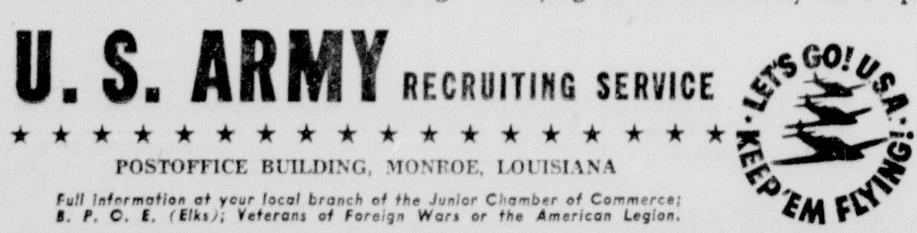
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ProjectThe signal corps of the war department
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training program to provide civilian
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Service commission has announced ex-
aminations to provide eligibles for
this training program. The salaries
for trainees vary from \$1,120 a year
to \$1,440 a year, depending upon
whether or not the applicant has had
prior experience in the radio field.Persons with certain specified ex-
perience are desired but in the ab-
sence of eligibles with this experi-
ence, persons who have had no ex-
perience will be appointed and will
be given training to enable them to
carry out the repair of signal corps
equipment.Appointees are needed in the states
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examination will be given approxi-
mately January 24 to test applicant's
aptitude for this type of work. Appli-
cants will be rated on prior experi-
ence and/or the mechanical aptitude
test to be given subsequent to filing
their applications.Persons between the age limits of
16 to 50, both men and women are
desired for these positions. Application
Form 2374 and card Form 4000
ABC, which must be filed for these
positions with the manager of the
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trict, Customhouse, New Orleans, may
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postoffice in the states of Louisiana and
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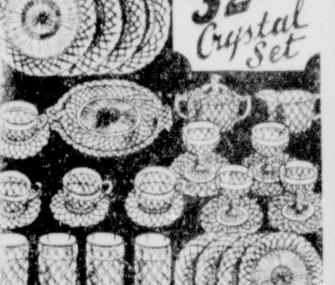
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Prince Valiant

IN THE DAYS OF
KING ARTHUR
BY
HAROLD R. FOSTER

Synopsis: PRINCE VALIANT IS SAILING FOR HIS HOMELAND WITH BOLTAR, THE VIKING, WHEN RUMORS OF GOLD SEND THEM COURSING SOUTHWARD, UP THE COAST OF AFRICA. DRIVEN OUT TO SEA BY A STORM, THEY RE-DISCOVER THE "ISLE OF DOGS", NOW KNOWN AS THE CANARY ISLANDS.

HIGH ON THE MOUNTAIN SLOPES THEY FIND CEDAR, PINE AND OAK AND REPAIRS ARE MADE TO THEIR BATTERED SHIP. THEY FIND PLENTY OF WATER, FRUIT AND FISH IN THIS ISLAND PARADISE, BUT NO REST.....

.....FOR ONLY BY ETERNAL VIGILANCE CAN THEY KEEP OFF THE PACKS OF MONSTROUS DOGS THAT SWARM EVERYWHERE.

THEN THEY SAIL EASTWARD TO THE AFRICAN COAST AND AGAIN TURN SOUTH FOLLOWING THE TREELESS, DESERT WASTES.

GRADUALLY THE SHORE-LINE CHANGES, PALM TREES APPEAR AND MUDDY RIVERS. THE WIND FAILS AND THE HEAT BECOMES TERRIFIC. BOLTAR AND VAL TAKE THEIR TURN AT THE OARS. THEY HAVE REACHED THE DOLDRUMS.

THE COAST-LINE TURNS EASTWARD AND THEY ARE IN A LAND OF HEAT AND MUD. STRANGE TREES GROW IN THE SEA AND THE SEA FLOWS AMONG THE TREES. RIVERS, MUD AND SEA ARE ALL ONE.

A GREAT RIVER OPENS A PATHWAY THROUGH THE JUNGLELAND. AFTER STUDYING HIS CRUDE MAP CAREFULLY, BOLTAR ORDERS THEM TO ROW INLAND.....

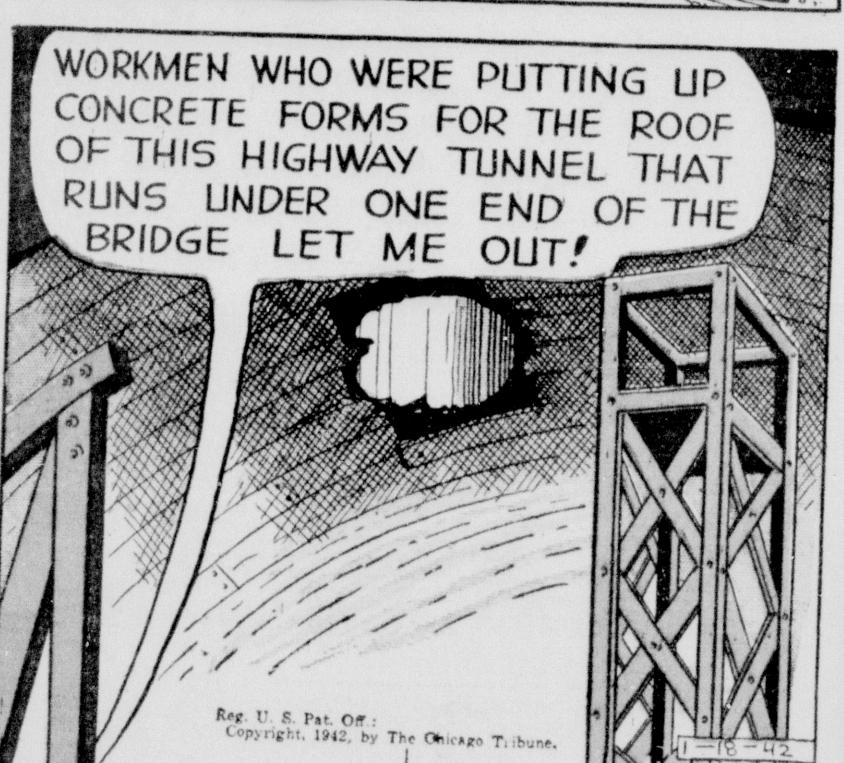
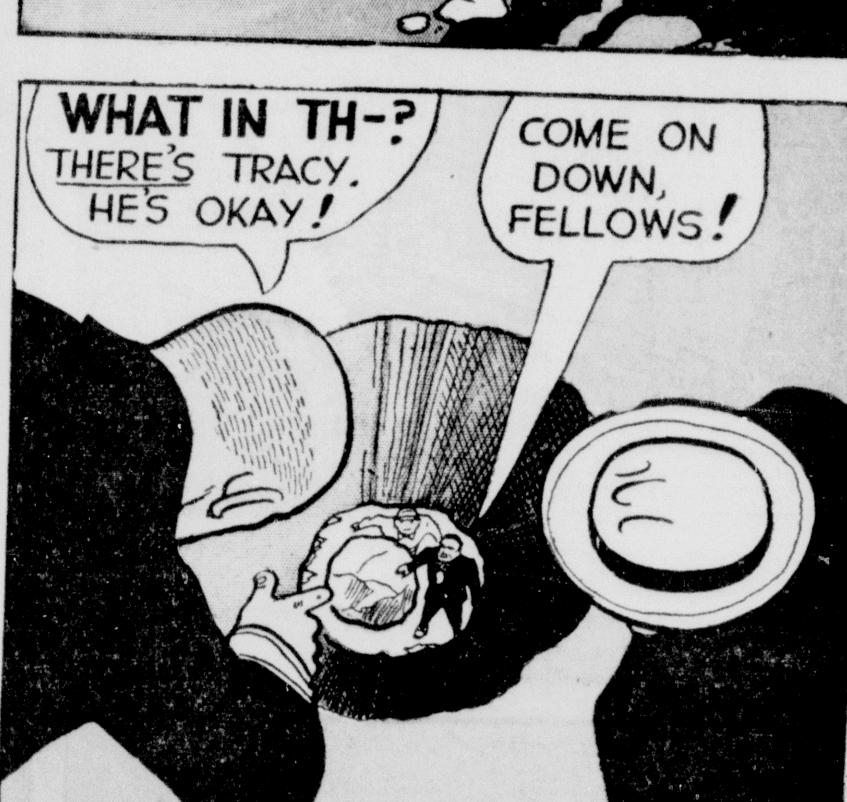
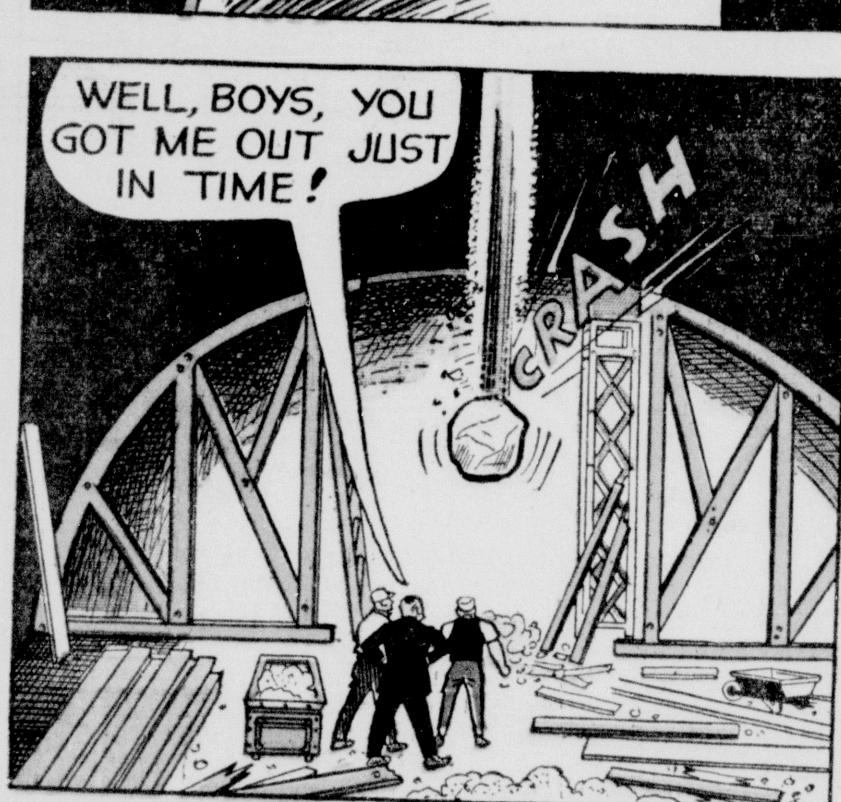
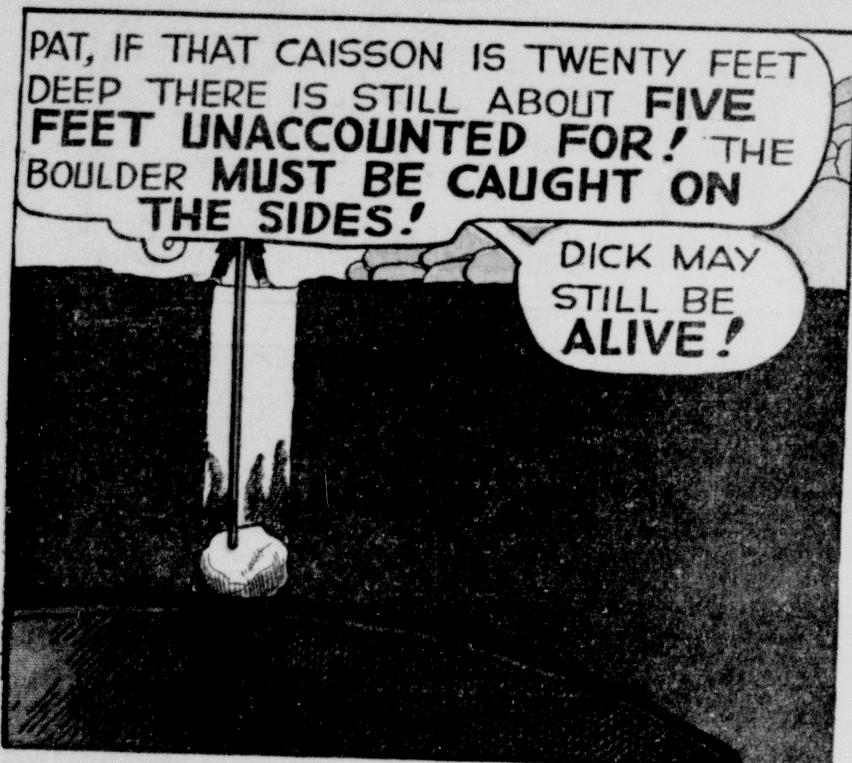
....A WORLD OF CONTRASTS: SONS OF THE ICY NORTHLANDS ROW A VIKING SHIP THROUGH A STEAMING, FEVER-HAUNTED JUNGLE. HIDEOUS DRAGONS SQUIRM ON SLIMY MUDBANKS, WHILE GORGEOUS BIRDS GLIDE OVERHEAD. RIVER-MONSTERS AMONGST SWEET WATER-LILIES! BEAUTY AND HORROR EVERYWHERE!

HAL FOSTER

NEXT WEEK - *The Giant.*

DICK TRACY

YOUR WIFE, DEBBY, PHONED US YOU HAD TAKEN TRACY FROM HER ROOM. SHE ALSO OVERHEARD YOU SAY YOU WERE GOING TO BRING HIM OUT HERE TO THE SITE OF THE NEW SUSPENSION BRIDGE.



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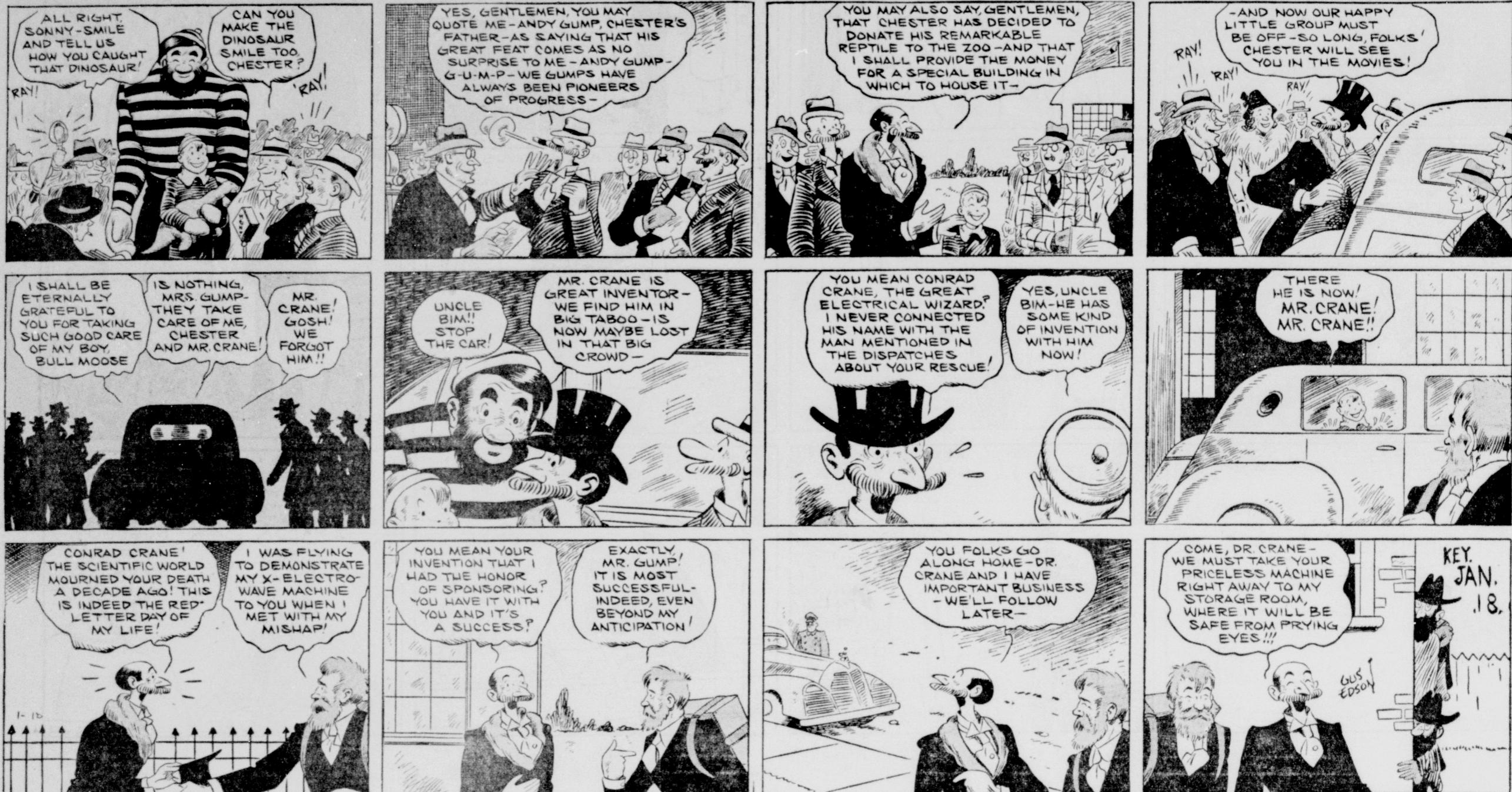
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THE GUMPS

THE TREMENDOUS EXCITEMENT OF THE GREAT CROWD GREETING CHESTER AND HIS FRIENDS WOULD PALE INTO INSIGNIFICANCE IF THEY WERE AWARE OF THE WORLD-SHAKING IMPORTANCE OF THE INVENTION STRAPPED TO THE BACK OF THE QUIET SCIENTIST, CONRAD CRANE!

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MOON MULLINS

by Frank Willard

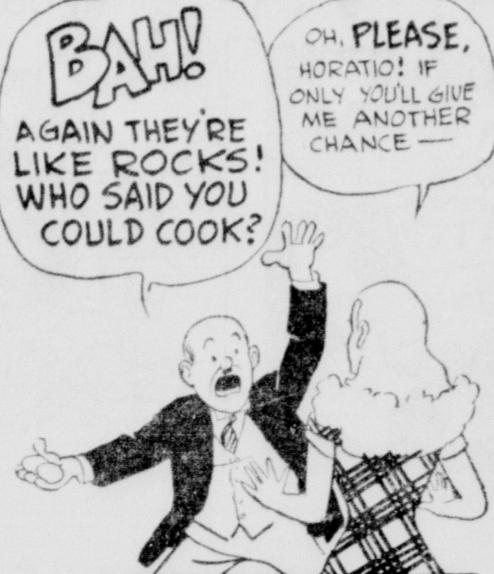
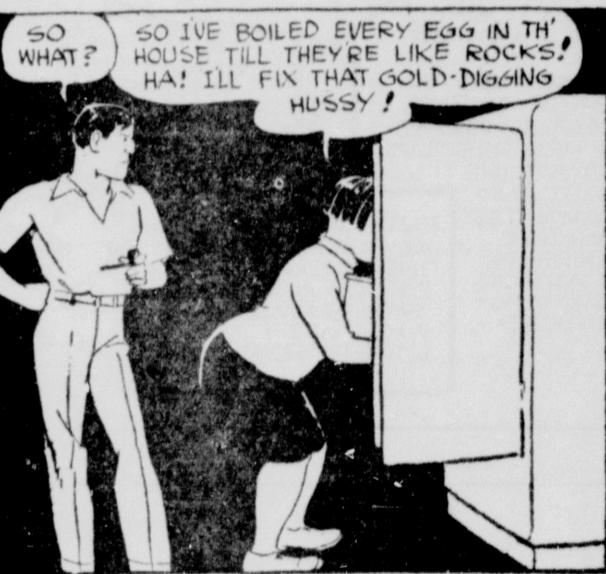


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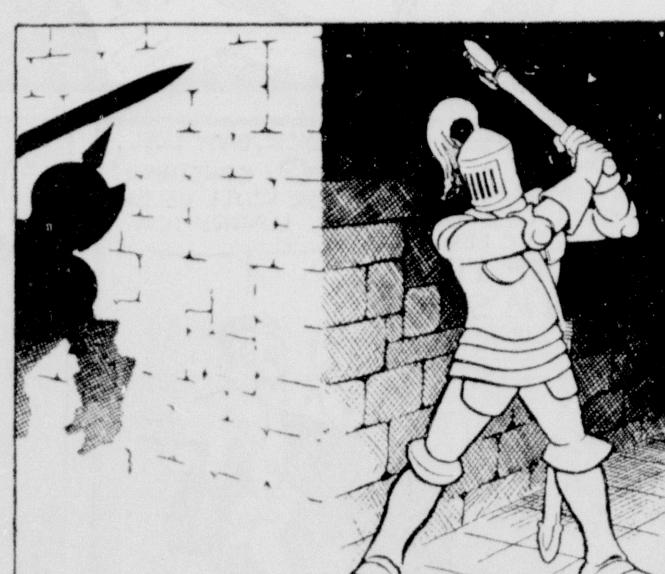
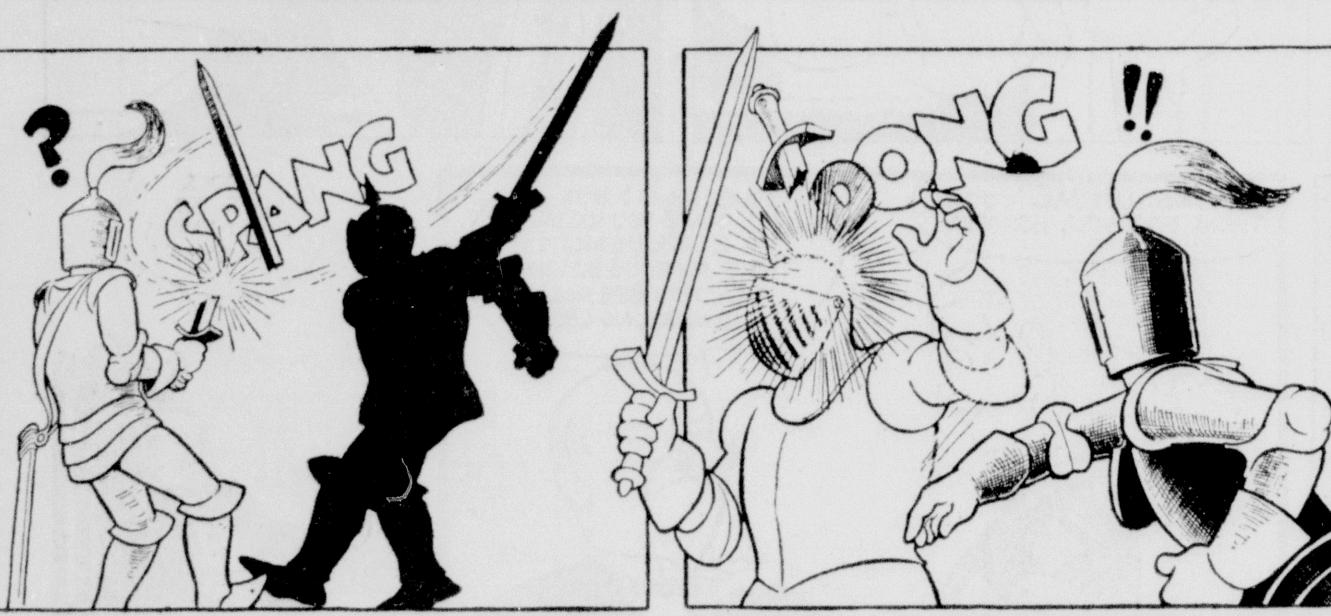
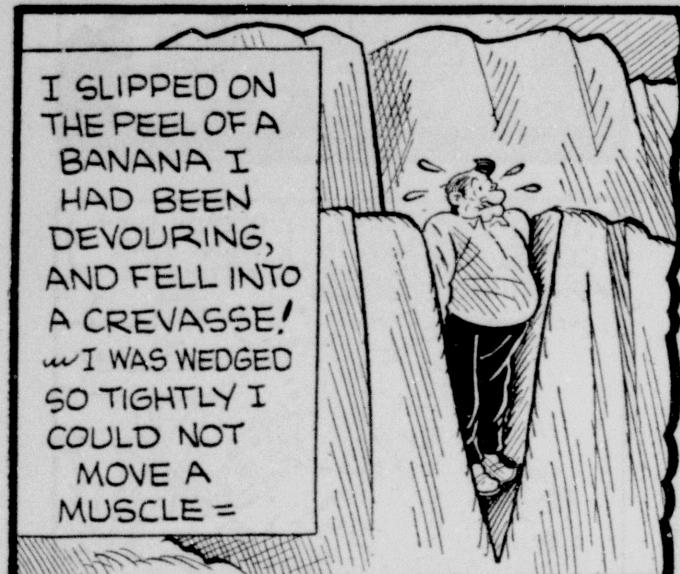
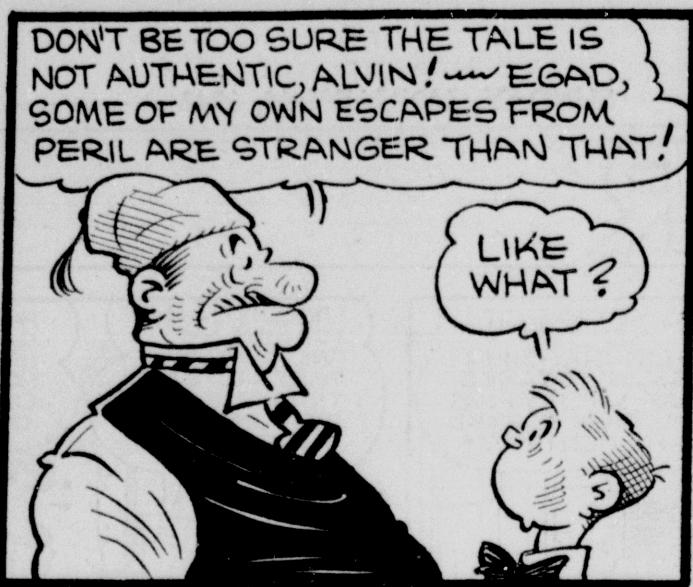


LI'L ABNER

BY AL CAPP



OUR BOARDING HOUSE



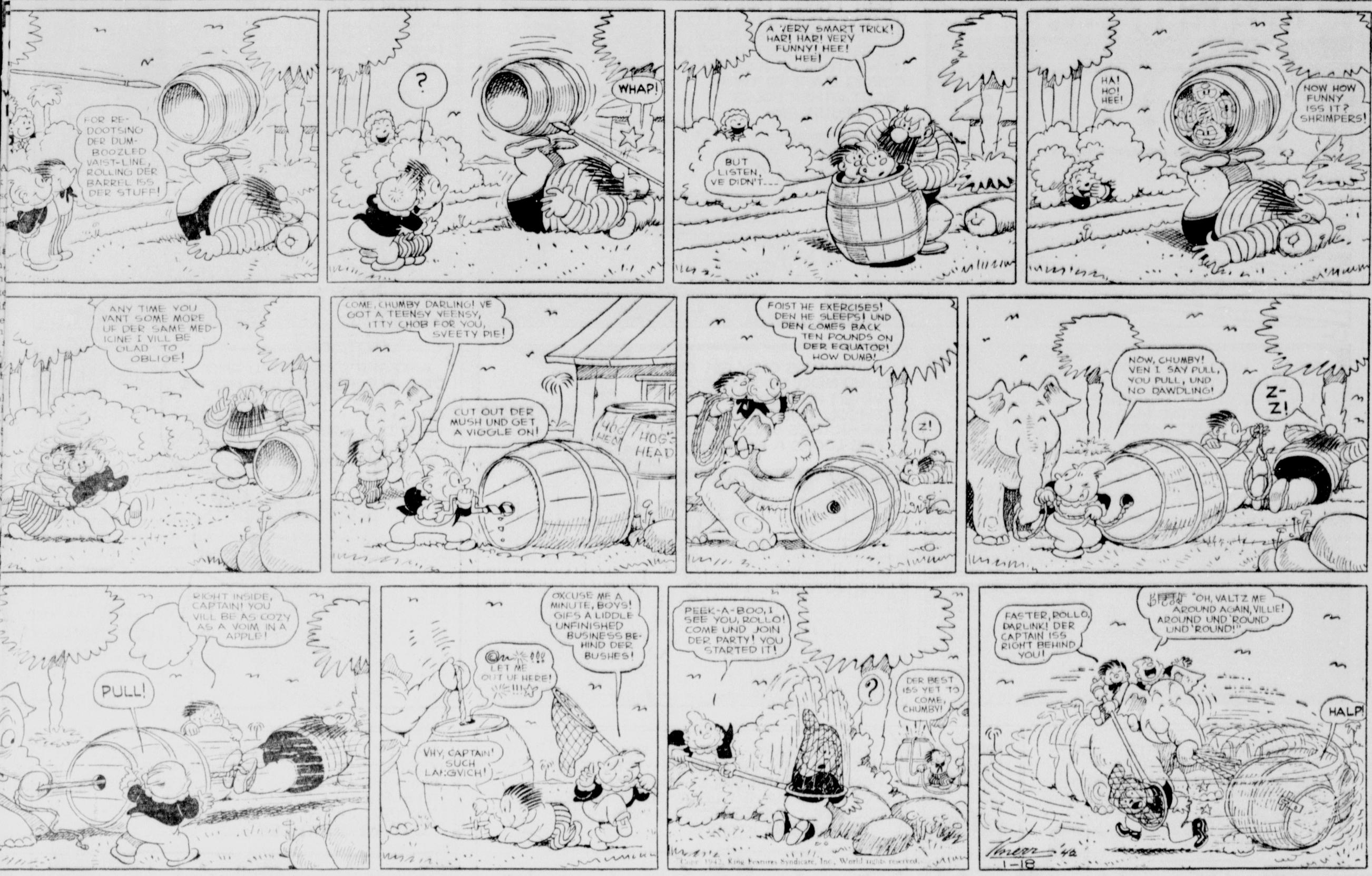
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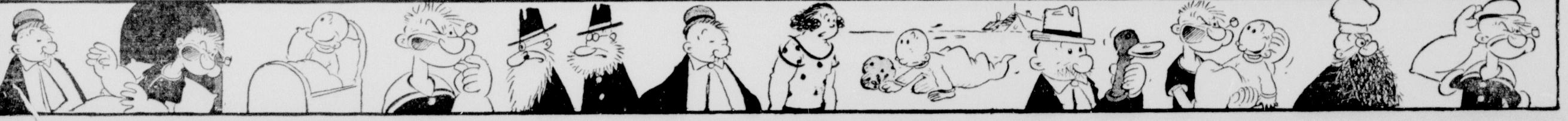
Thimble Theatre

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Starring Popeye



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Little Orphan Annie

GEE! I GUESS MOST OF US NEVER REALIZE HOW LUCKY WE ARE---WE'RE SO BUSY SCREAMIN' 'BOUT TAXES OR TH' WEATHER OR A SET O' CORNS EVER TO THINK 'BOUT OTHER FOLKS' TROUBLES-

THINK O' POOR LITTLE LORETTA---NOBODY ELSE AT SCHOOL WILL PLAY WITH HER---AND WHY? 'CAUSE THEY SAY HER MAMA'S CRAZY!

"CRAZY KATE" EVER'BODY CALLS HER---THERE'S THEIR PLACE---GEE! IT'S TERRIBLE---AN' MAYBE LORETTA'S MAMA IS CRAZY---BUT THAT'S NOT LORETTA'S FAULT---

KATIE WAS ONLY SIX AND LIVED NEXT DOOR TO DOC ZEE WHEN HE WENT AWAY TO SCHOOL, THIRTY YEARS AGO---GEE---KATIE'S ONLY THIRTY-SIX---SHE LOOKS A HUNDRED-

AND SHE PICKS COAL AND DIGS IN GARBAGE CANS NIGHTS FOR FOOD---AND IF FOLKS GO TO SEE HER, SHE HIDES---BUT DOC SAW HER---HE TALKED TO HER---BUT HE WOULDN'T TELL WHAT THEY SAID---

POOR KATIE... LITTLE SIX-YEAR-OLD--PIG TAILS--HAIR RIBBONS--THIRTY YEARS AGO--THIRTY YEARS, GOING DOWN TO THAT! POVERTY! FILTH! DEGRADATION! INSANITY!

THIRTY YEARS--AND MY ROAD WAS THE WAY OF SCIENCE---DEGREES--HONORS--RARE SKILL---EXPERIENCE---AND WHAT HAVE I LEARNED? I WONDER--CERTAINLY I'VE LEARNED WHEN NOT TO USE THE KNIFE-

THIRTY YEARS--STALKING THE GREATEST MYSTERY OF ALL--THE HUMAN MIND---AM I READY NOW? DARE I STEP BEYOND THE PALE? HAVE I THE RIGHT TO TAMPER WITH A HUMAN MIND? EH? WHO'S THERE?

OH! HELLO! IT'S YOU, PADRE!

YES! IT IS!! I REMEMBER HOW YOU ALWAYS CALLED ME "PADRE"--HA! HA! YOU PRONOUNCE "PADRE" BETTER NOW, SINCE YOUR RETURN FROM SPAIN-

I'M GLAD YOU'VE COME PADRE--I'M STUCK--I NEED YOUR ADVICE--THERE'S A CASE, AND I'M AFRAID I'VE LOST MY NERVE-

YES? KATIE? THEY SAY SHE IS CRAZY-

IT'S A LIE! OH, SHE'S CRAZY, BUT WHAT I MEAN IS---BUT WAIT--HOW DID YOU KNOW IT WAS KATIE?

I SAW YOU GO TO HER HOUSE--AND I SAW YOUR EYES WHEN YOU LEFT--MY EYES ARE OLD--BUT, IF I READ CORRECTLY, YOU DO NOT NEED ADVICE, MY SON-

Maw Green

AH, TROUBLE, TROUBLE! ALWAYS THERE IS TROUBLE...

BUT FOR EVERY TROUBLE THERE IS ALWAYS A COMFORTING THOUGHT--

YIS---WHIN IT'S NOT OUR TROUBLE!

Tarzan

by EDGAR RICE BURROUGHS

SECRET VIGIL



AS TARZAN LEFT WITH THE EMIR, NUMALI MUTTERED: "THEY ARE DOOMED, FOR TOMORROW DAGGA RAMBA COMES!"



FASCINATED BY THE STRANGER, THE SOVEREIGN INVITED HIM TO THE PALACE. AS THEY CROSSED THE CITY, TARZAN SAW THAT THESE PEOPLE LIVED JOYOUSLY, UNDER THE ILLUSION THAT THE DESERT PROTECTED THEM FROM ALL FOES.



"TOMORROW," THE EMIR SMILED, "MY DAUGHTER TA'AMA RETURNS FROM HER VISIT TO ISTANBUL."



TARZAN WAS PLUZZLED. HE HAD LEFT TA'AMA A PRISONER OF DAGGA RAMBA. OBSERVING HIS FROWN, THE EMIR SAID:



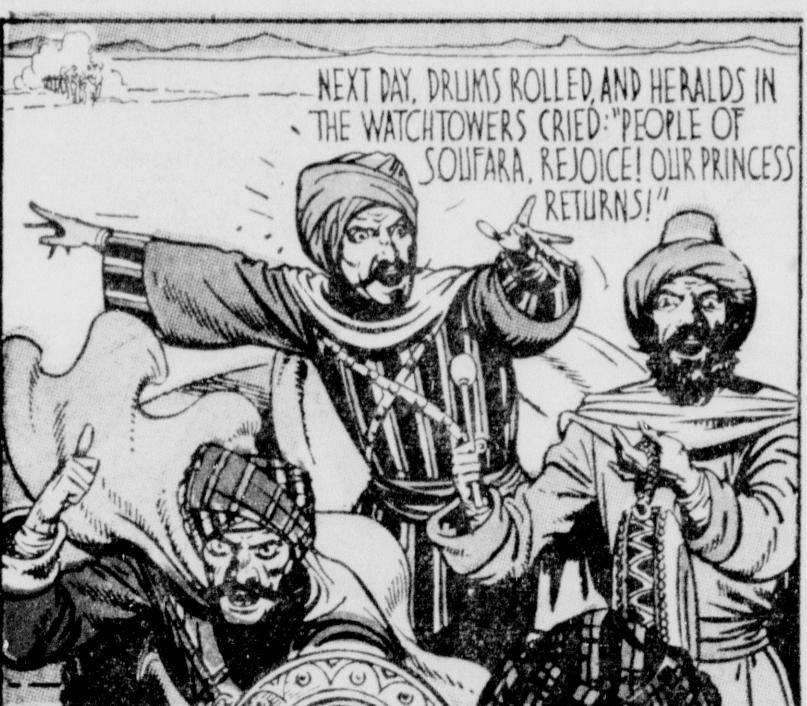
"YOU MISUNDERSTAND DAGGA RAMBA. HE IS SURELY A KINDLY MAN. HE IS ESCORTING TA'AMA ACROSS THE DESERT."



TARZAN SAID NOTHING, BUT THAT NIGHT HE CREST THROUGH THE SHADOWS TO WATCH NUMALI'S HOUSE.



HIS SECRET VIGIL WAS SOON REWARDED. HE SAW NUMALI'S HENCHMEN COMING AND GOING WITH THE AIR OF CONSPIRATORS.



NEXT DAY, DRUMS ROLED, AND HERALDS IN THE WATCHTOWERS CRIED: "PEOPLE OF SOUFARA, REJOICE! OUR PRINCESS RETURNS!"



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"CALL OUT THE GUARD OF HONOR!" THE EMIR ORDERED. "WE'LL RIDE OUT TO MEET HER. YOU, TOO, FRIEND TARZAN." THE APE-MAN SHOOK HIS HEAD. "I PREFER THAT DAGGA RAMBA BE UNAWARE OF MY PRESENCE."



WHEN THE EMIR LEFT, TARZAN TOOK UP A POST OVERLOOKING THE DESERT, AWAITING THE OMINOUS EVENTS THAT HE WAS SURE WOULD COME!

NEXT WEEK:
ULTIMATUM

HOGARTH



SUNDAY, JANUARY 18, 1942

JUNGLE JIM

BY ALEX RAYMOND

SINCE HIS UNPLEASANT EXPERIENCE WITH THE QUARRELsome COUPLE, JIM HAS SEEN VERY LITTLE OF THEM ---



BUT LATE ONE NIGHT, AS THE BLACKED-OUT SHIP APPROACHES PANAMA, JIM IS HALTED BY THE YOUNG WIFE AS HE PASSES HER STATEROOM DOOR ---



"I CAN'T BEAR IT ANY LONGER!" SHE WHISPERS. "WATCH MY HUSBAND! THEY CALL HIM HACKER O'NEILL--AND HE'S AN ENEMY SPY! HE JUST WENT UP ON DECK--WE'LL ALL DIE, IF YOU DON'T STOP HIM!"



WITH THAT, THE GIRL SHUTS HER DOOR AND LOCKS IT. JIM HURRIES TO THE DESERTED DECK -- AND FINALLY SPOTS THE MUFFLED FIGURE OF HACKER O'NEILL ---



WHILE JIM WATCHES, THE ENEMY AGENT SLIPS A FLASHLIGHT FROM HIS POCKET AND POINTING IT OUT TO SEA, FLASHES IT ON AND OFF THREE TIMES!

• TO BE CONTINUED •

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Flash Gordon

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SOON AFTER FLASH'S ROCKET TAKES OFF ON THE HAZARDOUS FLIGHT TO THE RADIUM MINES OF MONGO, DALE REVEALS HERSELF AS A STOWAWAY. FLASH HOLDS HER CLOSE TO HIM: "YOU SHOULDN'T HAVE DONE THIS, DARLING -- BUT, THANK HEAVEN, YOU DID!"

"THANK HEAVEN -- AND DR. ZARKOV!" DALE WHISPERS.



FOR ONE WEEK, THE ROCKET SPANS THE VAST REACHES OF SPACE, DRAWING EVER NEARER TO THE REMOTE PLANET OF MONGO. DR. ZARKOV'S SCIENTIFIC GENIUS HAS BUILT WELL ---

BUT JUST AS THEY REACH THE OUTER ATMOSPHERE OF THE PLANET, POWER TROUBLE SUDDENLY DEVELOPS, AS FUEL RUNS OUT: "WE'LL NEVER MAKE THE CIVILIZED PART OF MONGO!" SAYS FLASH, AS HE BATTLES WITH THE CONTROLS ---



THE ROCKET PLUNGES INTO MONGO'S LARGEST UNEXPLORED WILDERNESS--THE CONTINENT OF TROPICA!

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ONLY FLASH'S GREAT SKILL AND COURAGE SAVES THE LIVES OF HIMSELF AND HIS FRIENDS -- BUT ZARKOV IS GRAVELY INJURED ---



THE NOISE OF THE CRASH DRAWS A STRANGELY-GARBED HUMAN TO THE SCENE OF THE DISASTER!

NEXT WEEK:
DESIRA, QUEEN OF TROPICA

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